

# STERLING PASTOR IS VICTIM OF SHAMELESS AUTO DRIVER SUNDAY

REV. W. L. COLLIN, BROTHER OF DIXON WOMAN, IS SERIOUSLY INJURED.

## DROGGED TWENTY SEVEN FEET

Driver of Car Offered No Assistance To His Victim—Drove Swiftly Away.

Rev. W. L. Collin, pastor of the Fourth Street Methodist church of Sterling, brother of Miss Elizabeth Collin, superintendent of the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital of Dixon, was very seriously hurt at 9:30 p. m. Sunday when he was struck by an automobile at the corner of Avenue G and Fourth street, Sterling, on his way home from church, where he had conducted his regular Sunday evening service.

The driver of the car, the number of which could not be ascertained, is said by witnesses to have acted in a most shameless manner, offering absolutely no assistance to the injured man and driving away at great speed, before his name could be ascertained.

### Dragged Twenty-Seven Feet.

Rev. Collin had walked as far as Avenue G with members of his church and at that thoroughfare turned to cross the street when he was struck by the auto. Those who witnessed the accident state that the reverend gentleman was dragged about twenty-seven feet before the driver stopped the car, jumped from it, pulled the prostrate man from in front of the machine, climbed back in and drove swiftly off before any one else could reach the injured man.

### Suffered Intensely.

The victim was taken into a nearby residence and a physician was summoned. Examination showed that Rev. Collin had not received any broken bones, but that he was severely bruised and cut, and it is announced today that it will be some time before he will be able to resume his duties.

### Known In Dixon.

The injured man is well known in Dixon. He has participated in a number of services at the Dixon Methodist church, his last visit here being a week ago Sunday when he made a few remarks in connection with the concert given by the Sterling choir.

### Sunday he preached the memorial address at the Sugar Grove church in Palmyra, which a number of Dixon people attended.

## MUST SELL PERE MARQUETTE R.R.

(Associated Press)

Detroit, Mich., May 24—Federal Judge Tuttle today ordered the Pere Marquette railway system to be sold at public auction Oct. 1.

### MORE BOOKS RETURNED

John McFadden, assessor of East Grove township, today returned his books to Supervisor of Assessments John E. Moyer. This is the third book so far returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Winders were entertained at the Schuler home in Sterling Sunday.

## Rev. Holland Preached To Dixon High School Seniors

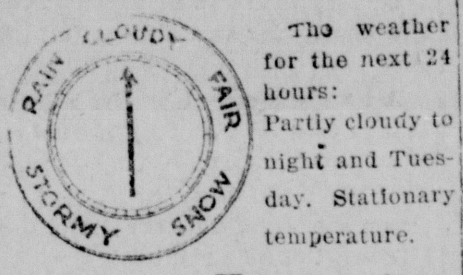
Rev. A. J. Holland, pastor of the First Presbyterian church delivered the annual baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Dixon high school at his church Sunday evening, the graduates and faculty attending the services in a body.

Rev. Holland took as his theme: "Selected Lives." His text was a portion 1 Timothy IV:12. "Let no man despise thy youth." He spoke in part as follows:

"Here, the words 'to despise' mean to think down upon. So you are now called into the arena of action and the judgment hall of thought. You as selected lives are invited to meet the thinkers face to face. The careless, frivolous, and the scorner you may pass by, from them you may guard the secrets of your life. But, before the judgment seat of the highest ideals of this Republic your most secret motives stand for con-

## THE WEATHER

Telegraph Barometer.  
Monday, May 24, 1915.



The weather for the next 24 hours:  
Partly cloudy to night and Tuesday. Stationary temperature.

Local Temperatures.	Max.	Min.	Prec.
Sunday	66	50	.3
Monday	75	50	

## Judge Farrand To Entertain In Honor Of Judge Carter

Banquet of Attorneys and Newspaper Men at Grandy This Evening

Grand Detour will be the scene of a very notable gathering this evening, when upward of seventy members of the Lee county bar and attorneys, judges and newspaper men from the northern part of the state gather at the Colonial Inn to banquet as the guest of Judge Richard S. Farrand. Judge Orrin N. Carter of Cook county, who is the speaker of the evening at the commencement exercises for the graduating class of Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital nurses this evening, is to be the guest of honor at the banquet given by Judge Farrand. Among other notables who will be present at the fete are Col. Frank O. Lowden and Supreme Justice James W. Cartwright of Oregon, Judge Jas. S. Baume and Judge O. E. Heard of this district.

## CARNIVAL COMPANY OPENS THIS WEEK

DIXON BASEBALL ASSN'S ATTRACTION ARRIVED THIS MORNING.

Miller's Carnival company, one of the largest in the west, which will show at Gedney park, Dementown, all this week under the auspices of the Dixon Baseball association, arrived this morning from Rock Island where they exhibited last week, and every indication is that all of the shows and free attractions will be up and ready for the edification of the crowds this evening. The company has the appearance of being a clean, first class outfit and with favorable weather conditions they will no doubt be well patronized here.

The company travels in thirty-five cars and consists of fourteen large shows and three large rides, with numerous concessions. There will be a big parade this evening at 6:30 o'clock, and every afternoon and evening band concerts will be given on the show grounds.

### HAVE BABY BOY

Mr. and Mrs. James Bales are the parents of a fine baby boy, born Sunday at Katherine Shaw Bethel Hospital.

## DIXON YOUNG MEN HELD-UP IN NORTH PART OF STERLING

C. ASHER AND A. A. FRERICHS RELIEVED OF THEIR SMALL CHANGE SUNDAY.

## SERIES OF ROBBERIES REPORTED

Prairieville Man Also Said To Have Been Victim of Bold Footpads.

(Special to Telegraph)

Sterling, May 24—Two Dixon men were among a number of victims of a series of holdups in the north part of Sterling between 9 and 9:30 o'clock Sunday evening, \$1.20 being taken from them, according to the police. They gave their names as:

Charles Asher, 1308 W. Sixth St., Dixon.

A. A. Frerichs, 606 Depot Ave., Dixon.

### Three In Party.

The holdups took place near Myers park, at the extreme north end of Fourth avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Watson of Sterling were the first victims, \$2.60 being taken from them by the three robbers, and then the two Dixon young men, accompanied by Miss Lena Rutt, 1701 E. Sixth St., Sterling, and Miss Bertha Mann, 612 W. Ninth St., Sterling, approached in a buggy. The vehicle was stopped and the Dixon lads were relieved of their change, after which they were told to drive on.

### Prairieville Man Next.

Another buggy approached, one of the occupants being said by the police to have been a young man named Martin, residence near Prairieville. There were two young men and two young women in this buggy also, and they were forced to hand over their cash.

### Police Gave Chase.

The police, who had been notified of the holdup by Mr. Watson, went to the scene in a taxi, and the officers gave chase, but the culprits made their escape.

## BUGGY WRECKED IN COLLISION WITH AUTO

FRANCIS KEENAN'S VEHICLE COMES OUT SECOND BEST SUNDAY MORNING.

At 9 o'clock Sunday morning Justus Schweinsberg collided with a rig being driven north by Francis Keenan just north of the intersection of Galena avenue and First street and as a result the buggy was badly wrecked and the horse was knocked down and pushed along the pavement for some distance, breaking its hip.

Mr. Schweinsberg started out with his wife and some friends in his new Hudson car for a ride. On reaching the intersection he made the square turn at the marker and he claims the rig turned in ahead of him. Being unfamiliar with the car and finding him self in close quarters he forgot to put on the emergency brake and the car crashed into the side of the buggy and pushed it some distance before Mr. Schweinsberg succeeded in stopping the car.

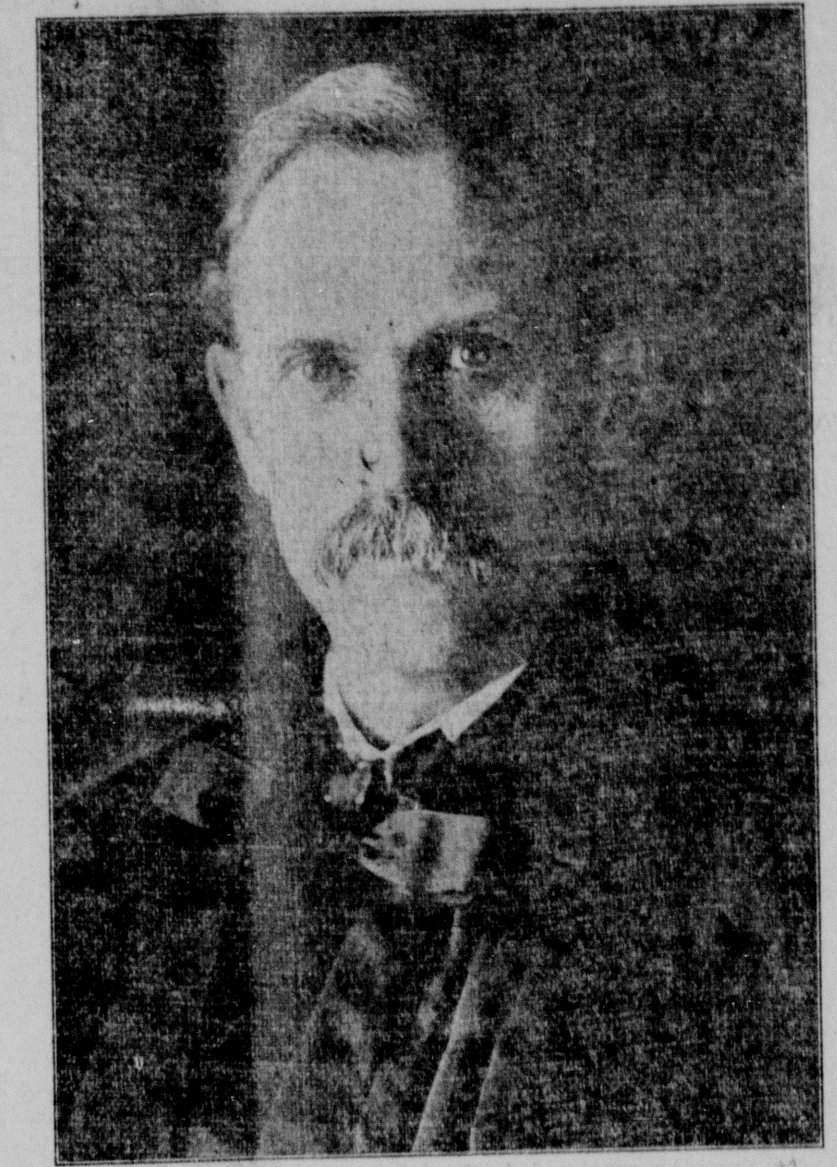
## FORMER DIXON MAN IS NOW A DESERTER

FRANK J. JOHNSON IS WANTED BY UNITED STATES ARMY AUTHORITIES.

Notification has been received by the sheriff's office and the police department to look for Frank J. Johnson, wanted as a deserter from the Coast Artillery Corps. He enlisted on August 26, 1910, and deserted from Ft. Mott, N. J., April 9, 1911. He gave his residence as Dixon, Ill., at the time of his enlistment. He has a sister residing at Lowell, Mass.

## WRECK DELAYS TRAINS TODAY

The early morning trains from the west were between two and three hours late this morning due to a freight wreck near Belle Plaine, Ia. The fast mail did not pass through this city until 7:20 a. m. and it was after 8 o'clock when train No. 24 arrived.



JUDGE ORRIN N. CARTER, Of Cook County, Who Delivers Commencement Address for Nurses' Graduating Class at the Family Theatre This Evening. Judge Carter is Being Entertained at a Banquet of Seventy Illinois Lawyers at Grand Detour This Evening by Judge R. S. Farrand of Dixon.

## Eight Against Three In Great War Game

With Italy taking the plunge into war eleven nations became tangled in the great European conflict. They are:

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|---------------|-----------------|
| Great Britain | Germany         |
| France        | Austria-Hungary |
| Russia        | Turkey          |
| Italy         |                 |
| Japan         |                 |
| Belgium       |                 |
| Serbia        |                 |
| Montenegro    |                 |

## PROHIBIT CHILDREN DRIVING AUTOS IN DIXON SAYS COUNCIL

POLICE WERE GIVEN INSTRUCTIONS TO THAT EFFECT THIS MORNING.

The principal topic of conversation at the weekly meeting of the city commission this morning was the driving of automobiles by children and inexperienced drivers. Commissioner of Accounts and Finance, George W. Smith brought the subject up, and the other officials present concurred in his views that it was a menace to the public to allow automobiles to be driven about the streets of Dixon by boys and girls who are under the legal age limit.

The commissioners said they had noticed machines being driven by children under ten years of age and that many machines were driven by boys and girls fifteen years old and younger. Mayor Schmidt referred the matter to Commissioner of Health and Safety J. D. VanBibber, with the instructions that the practice of machine driving by boys and girls under age be stopped by the police, and the order will be rigidly enforced. Arrests will be made if necessary to stop the dangerous practice.

## TAX SALE WILL BE LIGHT

There remains but one week before the second penalty of one per cent will be added to the amount of all unpaid taxes. Much of the delinquent tax has been paid in the past two weeks and the outlook is not for a very large tax sale this year. The sale occurs Monday, June 14.

## ANOTHER SCHOOL STANDARDIZED

The 32nd standard school diploma in Lee county has been awarded District No. 49 in Bradford township, known as the Ventler school. The teacher is Mrs. Edna Natriss and the directors are George Hazelman, Geo. P. Miller and Henry July.

## Memorial Day Proclamation

As a suitable expression of love and esteem for the men who fought and died for our flag and country and in appreciation of the great sacrifices and public services rendered by them to our country and nation, I hereby direct that the citizens of Dixon observe Monday, May 31st, as Memorial Day, and that all departments of the Executive branch of our City Government be closed on that day.

I also request all business houses to close their places of business from the hour of two o'clock until four o'clock in the afternoon and that flags be displayed at half mast until 12 o'clock noon and at full mast until sunset.

Respectfully,  
HENRY SCHMIDT,  
Mayor.

## UNKNOWN AUTO HIT BUGGY SATURDAY EVE.

RESIDENT OF ANDERSON FARM NEAR POLO VICTIM OF ACCIDENT.

About 9:30 p. m. Saturday a man residing on the Anderson farm near Polo while returning home from this city, was struck by an automobile near the Joe Prindaville farm in Palmyra township. His buggy was wrecked and he was thrown out and bruised considerably.

The injured man went to the Prindaville home where he remained until daylight before continuing on his journey home. The horse did not run away and was found grazing along the roadside after the accident. It is reported that the machine did not have any lights and after it struck the buggy the driver did not stop to see how badly the occupant of the rig might be injured.

## MINORS DENIED IN POOL HALLS

(Special to Telegraph)  
Sterling, May 24—Acting under instructions from Commissioner Overholser, Chief of Police Haglock this morning notified the proprietors of all the billiard halls in this city that in the future boys under the age of twenty-one years must not be allowed in the rooms.

# AUSTRO FLEET STRIKES FIRST BLOW FOLLOWING KINGS WAR DECLARATION

KING EMMANUEL SIGNED MEASURE DECLARING WAR SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

## MILITARY POWER IS GREAT

Roumania and Possibly Bulgaria Are Expected to Follow Lead of Italy.

Rome, May 24—Italy has declared war against Austria.

The Duca D'Avarna, the Italian ambassador at Vienna, was instructed to present the declaration to Baron Burian, the Austrian premier and leave at once for home. It is expected that Austria will be formally notified that a state of war exists this morning.

When the public became aware of the fact that hesitation was at an end and the Italian government definitely committed to make war for the redemption of the territory inhabited by Italians under the Austrian yoke the enthusiasm of the people knew no bounds. All parties, even the Socialists, are now united in praise for the stand of the cabinet.

### 760,000 First Line Troops.

While the general mobilization order issued Saturday will bring about 2,000,000 to the colors within a month, it is known that Italy will start the war with about 760,000 first line troops. At the outbreak of the European war the Italian army consisted of 300,000 men, the classes with the colors being those of 1891, 1892 and 1893. After the war started two more classes, including about 220,000 men, joined the colors. Various other changes recently made under orders from General Zennepoli, the minister of war, brought the strength up to 760,000 at present.

### General Canova May Lead.

It is likely that the army will be under the direct command of General Canova, who led the Italian forces in the conquest of Tripoli, or General Count Cadorna, the chief of the general staff. In case the military operations call for a division of the forces into two units each of these officers will have command of an army. Both of them are said to be soldiers of great ability and full confidence is felt that they will lead the troops of Italy to victory. General Canova is the only living "generale dell'Esercito."

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## PRESIDENT HOPES WE CAN LEAD TO PEACE

SAVES AMERICANS ARE NOT TRYING TO USE ONE ANOTHER—TRY TO HELP.

(Associated Press)

Washington, May 24—President Wilson, speaking at the Pan-American financial congress here today expressed the hope that the Americans might show the world the path to peace. He was loudly applauded by the delegates. The president declared that the people of the Americas are not trying to make use of one another but are trying to be of use to one another.

## Rev. Bradshaw Discussed Wilson's Note On Lusitania

Rev. Emerson O. Bradshaw, pastor of the Baptist church, delivered a short prelude to his sermon Sunday evening, the theme of which was President Wilson's note on the sinking of the Lusitania. The text of the prelude was:

The Lusitania note which came from the heart and mind of Woodrow Wilson and which was occasioned by the greatest national crisis since the Civil war, will go down in history along side of Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg address. What makes it great is its masterful use of the English language in portraying the ardent conviction of every true American; its solemn authority proclaimed without a threat; its firmness without being too belligerent; its urgent demands without a hint of what would follow were the demands not heeded; its solemn undertone of love which makes every utterance prophetic in spirit and calculated to heal the fever of war raging in the mind of an European monarch.

The president gains his point of contact with the kaiser by referring to the "German views and the German influence in the field of international obligation as always engaged on the side of justice and humanity" and that the United States is loath to believe that Germany could so soon have changed her humanitarian attitude toward the world to one of such gross inhumanity. Then follows a clear case against Germany showing that without even the "poor measure of safety" of giving warning, the crew and all on board were committed to the "mercy of the sea in small boats."

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REV. HOLLAND  
PREACHED TO SCHOOL

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paration and ability. From the hall of public opinion you will never graduate. Higher and higher standards you will be called upon to face. During your life great tasks will call you. For these no preparation or ready-made ability will be adequate. If you calculate too nicely upon your capacity, you will turn a deaf ear to those high tasks. But if you remember that God has decreed that each great unselfish work shall furnish half the power necessary to its execution, then with your heart aflame with faith and resolution, you will go forth bravely to its accomplishment.

"This is the secret of the great things men have done for God and righteousness. If you fail here public opinion may not look down upon you, but men of faith and high ideals will pity you.

But on the other hand do not tune your life to unbroken success. You may have high purposes and a good cause, but yet you can not travel straight to victory without defeat. History and fiction are full of examples of men who made gods of success and pleasure and thereby wrecked their life-work and their lives. Therefore, cultivate quiet determination in the face of danger and opposition. This is the teaching from the kingdom and patience of Jesus Christ.

In conclusion. The youths of today are the children of love and long public sacrifice, inheritors are they of liberty and high ideals. Around them gather the great powers of thought and institutions but greatest of all the power of great personalities. These great examples at once teach and inspire. They make the hearts of the young strong and the hearts of the old young.

Amongst the greatest characters, the one that is most winning and inspiring is Jesus Christ. If he confesses you before God, no man can despise you.

"So near is glory to our dust,  
So high is God to man,  
When duty whispers low, 'Thou must—'  
The youth replies—'I can.'"

## DE PALMA SERIOUSLY HURT

Famous Drivers' Car Upsets While Going at 90 Miles an Hour.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 24.—John De Palma, who was driving a Delage car in the speed trials at the speedway, turned over on the northwest turn while traveling at the rate of about ninety miles an hour. De Palma and Mechanician Phillips were seriously injured.

Howdy Wilcox, the Indianapolis boy, in a Stutz, set a new record for the 1915 eliminations when he drove the two and a half mile track in 1:31 flat, an average of ninety-eight and nine-tenths miles an hour.

## One Killed on "Dip the Dips."

Youngstown, O., May 24.—Daniel Donehey, twenty, is dead, nine persons are in the hospital with broken limbs, or other injuries, and nine others are suffering from severe cuts and bruises as a result of an accident on the "dip the dips" in Idora park.

## BASEBALL RESULTS.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Chi. 13 12 .520	Brook. 14 15 .483
Pitt. 17 11 .607	St. L. 15 17 .462
Pitt. 15 15 .500	Chi. 12 16 .429
Bos. 14 15 .483	N. Y. 11 16 .407

## AMERICAN LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Chi. 22 12 .647	Wash. 13 15 .462
Det. 21 12 .636	Clev. 13 17 .435
N. Y. 17 12 .588	St. L. 13 20 .394
Bos. 15 15 .500	Phil. 10 21 .323

At Detroit	R.H.E.
Philadelphia 3-0-0-0-10-1	3 0 5
Detroit 3-2-0-0-10-10	10 10 9
Dallas and Starnes; Pennock, Davis and Schang and McAvoy.	
At Chicago	R.H.E.
Boston 0-0-0-0-2-0-0	2 0 0
Chicago 0-0-0-2-1-0-10	4 7 9
Wood and Gaby; Scott and Schall.	
At Cleveland	R.H.E.
Washington 1-0-0-0-1-1-0	4 11 2
Cleveland 0-0-0-0-0-0-0-1	1 5 3
Johnson and Alsmith; Morton, Jones and O'Neill.	
At St. Louis	R.H.E.
New York 0-2-1-0-0-0-0-3	5 3 1
St. Louis 0-2-0-1-0-0-0-1	4 8 6
Caldwell and Numamaker; Wellman and Severid.	

## FEDERAL LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Pitt. 29 12 .705	Brook. 15 15 .500
Chi. 20 14 .588	St. L. 14 16 .462
Newk. 19 14 .576	Bat. 13 20 .394
A. C. 17 14 .548	Buf. 10 21 .323

At St. Louis	R.H.E.
St. Louis 0-0-0-0-2-0-1	3 9 0
St. Louis 3-3-1-0-2-0-0	10 12 0
Mullen, Whitehouse, Brandon, Warren and Texter; Crandall and Hartley.	
At Kansas City	R.H.E.
Buffalo 3-0-0-0-0-1-0-4	4 4 4
Kansas City 1-0-3-4-1-0-0-9	9 9 2
President, Schultz, Elkins and Blair and Alton; Packard and Brown.	
At Chicago	R.H.E.
Baltimore 0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0	2 3 0
Chicago 0-0-0-0-0-0-0-1	1 6 1
Bender and Owens; Frederick and Wip.	
Second game	R.H.E.
Baltimore 0-0-2-0-0-0-0-0	2 3 0
Chicago 0-0-0-0-0-0-0-1	1 6 1
McConnell, Wilson and Fischer; Suggs and Jackisch.	

Every safety razor blade sharpened as good as new at Campbell's Drug Store. 1011t

CENTRAL GRADES AND  
ST MARY'S LONG GAM

GRADE TEAM WON 7 TO 6 VICTORY AFTER SEVENTEEN INNING STRUGGLE

The Central school grade team defeated St. Mary's team in a seventeen inning contest Saturday afternoon, score 7 to 6. The game was an exceptionally fast one for juvenile teams, and the fans who attended were given plenty of excitement. The teams lined up:

## St. Mary's

Cunningham, c  
Welch, p  
Allen, 1b  
Higgins, 2b  
Curran, 3b  
Wilson, ss  
Coakley, lf  
Duffy, cf  
Mahan, rf

## Central Grades

Dollahan, c  
Schuler, p  
Shaw, 1b  
Poole, 2b  
Scotfield, 3b  
Rowland, ss  
Swartz, lf  
Countryman, cf  
Root, rf

## Defeated Walton

Sunday afternoon St. Mary's team came back after their hard game of Saturday and defeated Walton easily at Lincoln Park, score 11 to 7. Coffey and Blackburn were the Dixon battery, Tobey and Grohens working for the visitors.

## IS ILL.

Mrs. Chas. McBride is quite ill at her home, at 906 Oak Court.

## ILL AT DAUGHTER'S HOME

Mrs. Benke of Mendota has been ill for some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Will Gilbert.

Michigan subscribers to the Dixon Telegraph, please look at the little yellow tag on your Telegraph.

## No. 170, Series of 1914.

## FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, caused to be filed in the County Court of said County of Lee on the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1915, a certificate showing the final cost of constructing vitrified tile pipe sewer in Crawford Avenue in the City of Dixon, for sanitary purposes, under and in pursuance of City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance No. 170, Series of 1914, and the amount estimated by said Board to be required to meet the accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate the collection of the assessment for said work.

Said certificate also shows that said work has been done and completed by the contractor doing the work in substantial conformity to the requirements of said ordinance and has been duly accepted by said Board.

The final cost of said improvement and the amount estimated for interest as shown on said certificate are as follows:

963 linear feet of 8" sewer complete, at seventy-four (74) cents per linear foot	\$712.62
616 linear feet of 6" house connection laterals at thirty (30) cents per linear foot	184.80
2 manholes at thirty (30) dollars each	60.00
1 flushing tank at seventy (70) dollars	70.00
8.26 cubic yards of rock excavation, extra, at two and one-half (2.50) dollars per cubic yd.	21.55
Total cost of work	1048.97
Lawful expense	28.52
Total cost of improvement	\$1077.49

Public notice is further given that the court has set said certificate and any objections that may be filed therein for hearing at nine o'clock in the forenoon on Monday, the 14th day of June, A. D. 1915, or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit.

Said hearing will be held in the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois.

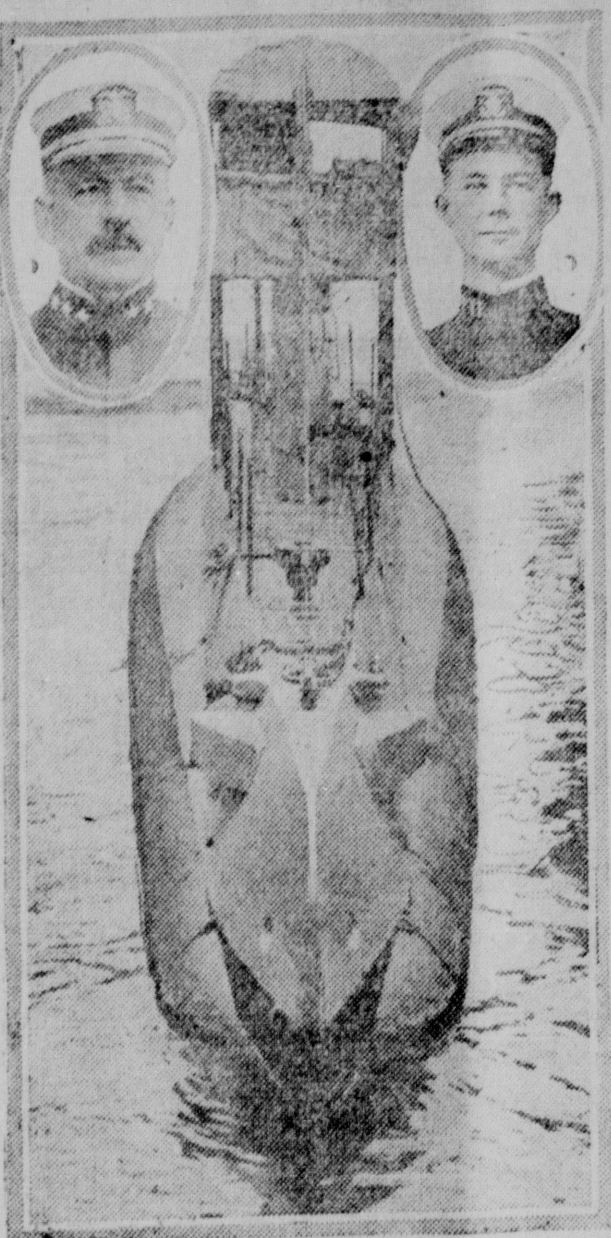
Any person interested may file objections before the time set for hearing and appear and show cause why said petition shall not be taken as true.

Dated this 24th day of May, A. D. 1915.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS.

BY MARK C. KELLER, ITS ATTORNEY. 1225

"CAN SAIL IN TWO HOURS"—ADMIRAL FLETCHER.



Submarine E-1.

## Admiral Fletcher.

"The fleet in these waters (New York Harbor) can get under way in two hours, and the ships are now prepared for action."

These were the words of Admiral Fletcher, commander of the big fleet of American battleships now in New York Harbor, when asked about their condition. He probably had in mind the brilliant exploit of Lieut. Thomas Withers and the submarine E-1. To join the naval display in the Hudson river the E-1 had to go all the way from Key West. She made this trip under her own power without stopping once. The officers think that she broke a submarine record for long distance travel, for the distance from New York to Key West is 1230 miles.

The journey from Key West began Friday, April 30, at 10 a. m. With the E-1 were the E-2, the Tonopah and the MacDonough. The E-1 was flag-boat. She set the pace, which was 10 knots an hour. The E-2 did her best to keep up, but on several occasions had engine trouble, and had to be taken in tow by the monitor. The destroyer ran short of coal, sheered in to Charleston and renewed her supply, and rejoined the others off the Chesapeake Capes.

"I'm blame glad to get out of that weary nod toward the E-1. 'I'm dead tired. If I could only get a bath and a bed for about twenty-four—no, for forty-eight hours. 'Look at me. Look at any of us! Every stitch of clothing soggy. That's the way we've been ever since we put out from Key West. There isn't any dry place in a submarine. The inside metal sweats and drips all the time. And traveling with the decks awash, there's no way of getting things dried out.'"

THIS YEAR'S AUTOMOBILES

It is indeed reassuring to realize that the late hard times were not able to take a single foot out of the automobile business.

For more than a year Americans have retrenched with great vigor. Yet at the present time the pedestrian who desires to cross a street has to jump livelier than ever. A large number of new Easter hats weren't purchased this spring and more shoes were patched in 1914 than ever before. But most of the automobile factories worked nights.

This indicates more vividly than anything else the deep and virulent prosperity of this nation. In other countries the father says in hard times: "Children let us economize that we may not starve before spring." In America the father calls his little flock together and says: "Precious ones, if we do not cut down expenses we will have to turn the old automobile this year."

Once again the hard working engineer with the furrowed brow has succeeded in making enough improvements in the 1915 car to fill the

NINTH INNING RALLY  
WON FROM DEKALBN. DIXON HIGH SCHOOL TEAM  
SPIKED DEKALB'S CANNON  
IN FINAL BATTLE

A thrilling ninth inning rally enabled North Dixon high school to defeat the DeKalb township high school team in their contest at DeKalb Saturday afternoon, the score being 6 to 5, and the game being pronounced by the DeKalb scribes as one of the best high school games ever played there. Ackert, the Dixon twirler who stood De-

Kalb on their heads a week ago, was unable to be in the game, but Haley stepped into the breach and right well did he perform. He fanned twenty of the DeKalb lads and allowed them but four bingles.

Cannon, the DeKalb pitcher, was also firing along effectively, and when the ninth opened DeKalb was leading 5 to 3. In the ninth Cannon got hold of the wrong kind of shells, something went wrong with his range-finder, and he missed the trenches six times. That number of walks and a hit by Lennox did the work and Dixon returned winner.

Mesdames W. W. Woolley and E. E. Dysart went to Chicago this morning.

EEV. BRADSHAW  
ON LUSITANIA NOTE

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The use of the submarine in modern warfare is comparable to slipping up on an antagonist in the dark, swatting him a death blow on the back and then disappearing. Such sneaking methods of warfare would no doubt have been considered cowardly and unfair in the heroic struggles of the ages gone by. Especially would it have been so considered if a sea monster had attacked a merchant vessel bearing hundreds of innocent defenseless travelers, sending them to their death and burying itself again in the waves for safety. If the facts of the case are all in, a more inhuman crime is not recorded in the pages of history than that of the sinking of the Lusitania on that fateful Friday afternoon. Well may the world look upon it "with growing concern, distress and amazement."

If we are to believe the press reports, the German newspapers appeared with flaming headlines proclaiming the magnificent achievements of modern warfare and extolling the heroism of the submarine commander who sent the torpedoes crashing into the vitals of the proud but trustworthy Lusitania. If this be true, it is needless to say that the German newspapers were the only ones of the world to find anything in that vile deed over which to break forth in jubilant song. It threw all the rest of the world into deep and solemn mourning. It sent the President of the United States to the closet of thought and meditation, but to emerge from the tragic quiet of the inner office with a message that has brought relief to a stricken world, and that will become a classic in history because of the potency of its appeal.

However, this attitude of America does not leave Great Britain entirely free from censure and blame. It is not for the United States to now take sides with England that Germany has seriously offended. For, according to the reports of the hour the president is preparing a note for England that is quite as drastic as the one sent to Germany. There is no disposition whatever on the part of America to declare war against Germany. For a declaration of war against Germany would be a virtual joining our forces with the allies. Then Germany might truthfully say that she was in war with the world.

Up to date America is the only great nation that is not involved in the European catelism. This makes her position of swordless authority unique. Demands for justice and humanity that America may now make may be little heeded while the fury of war lasts, but it will make her the torchbearer of peace in humanity's name and for humanity's sake; and when the day of peace shall come she will be in position to change the verdict of history and to teach the nations of the world that the barbarous theory of blood and iron should be forever banished from the minds of men. Peace on earth, good will toward men is not only a religious and moral necessity, but an economic necessity as well. Peace is necessary to world prosperity.

ALLIES REPULSED  
IN STRAITS ATTACK

## WAR SUMMARY.

(Associated Press)

According to the Over-Seas News Agency Berlin has received dispatches from Bucharest saying that the Russian armored cruiser Winteleimon had been sunk with 1400 in the Black Sea.

## ALLIES' ATTACK FAILS.

An attack by the allies on Seddul Bahr, Gallipoli peninsula, yesterday failed, Constantinople says, 2,000 dead being left on the field. An old Turkish gunboat was torpedoed and sunk.

Berlin says that the British advance between Neuve Chappelle and Giverny and French attacks on the northern slope of Lorette Hills were repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy.

## STOCK MARKET GAINS

War shares on the stock market in the New York exchange advanced today.

## BOMBS ON PARIS.

A German aeroplane dropped several bombs on a suburb of Paris this morning. No one was injured.

Mrs. Thomas Long and Mrs. Katherine McGovern of Harmon were Dix on shoppers this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Buzzard of Sterling visited here with friends Sunday evening.

A. W. Kramer went to Chicago this morning.

AUTOS IN COLLISION  
ANOTHER IN DITCH

MINOR MISHAPS ADDED TO BIG TOTAL WHICH BEFELL CARS SUNDAY.

Bernice Grey, the twelve year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Grey of Henepin avenue, and Alzina Michels had a narrow escape from injury Sunday at about 5:30 when the Ford runabout which Miss Grey was driving on the Franklin Road skidded in the sand and went into the ditch. The car suffered a damaged wheel and one fender was also quite badly bent.

A Ford car owned by Mr. Miles of Ashton collided with an Overland car owned by Mr. Chapman, who resides east of Ashton Saturday at 10:30 p. m. on the Franklin Grove road four miles east of here and badly damaged both cars, both machines having wheels on the sides completely torn off and the fenders being bent out of shape.

Fortunately none of the occupants of the cars were injured. Help was summoned from Miller Bros. garage and the wrecked cars brought here for repairs.

N.D. MAY FESTIVAL  
TO BE GIVEN FRIDAY

WEATHER CONDITIONS BEING PROPITIOUS, FETE WILL BE HELD THEN.

The May Festival to be given by the North Dixon schools, which was postponed from last Friday owing to the inclement weather, will be held the coming Friday, all things being propitious. The athletic contests, to be given in the afternoon, will be held at Assembly park beginning at 1:15. At 7 p. m. a declamatory contest, together with the May drills, will be staged in Kindergarten hall in the old school building.

## ORDER SOME NEW UNIFORMS

The members of St. Mary's base ball team have ordered handsome new uniforms, which they hope to have here by June 5, when they will meet the high school team in a game which will determine the local championship.

Gordon McMinn spent Sunday in Chicago.

MISS MYERS' LEAD  
CONTEST GROWS

HAS TOTAL OF 11,000 VOTES AT NOON TODAY—MUCH INTEREST SHOWN.

Miss Ellen Myers' lead in the popularity contest for the diamond ring offered in connection with the carnival given by the Baseball association this week, has increased greatly since the figures were last published, the totals at noon today being:

Ellen Myers	11090
Gladya Gonnerman	6280
Frances Amberg	5480
Marie Curran	5280
Mary Self	2880
Lucille Jones	2000
Mary Hogan	1280
Mary Rosbrook	1160
Olga Rice	1140
Nardie Hess	1110
Marie Lonergan	1000
Kathryn Reilly	1000
Erma Brown	1000
Hildred Haley	1000
Olive Bender	1000
Caroline Simonson	1000
Elizabeth Haas	1000

DIXON TENNIS COURT  
MOVED TO N. DIXON

LOT ON NORTH DIXON AVE. BEING PREPARED FOR THE COURTS.

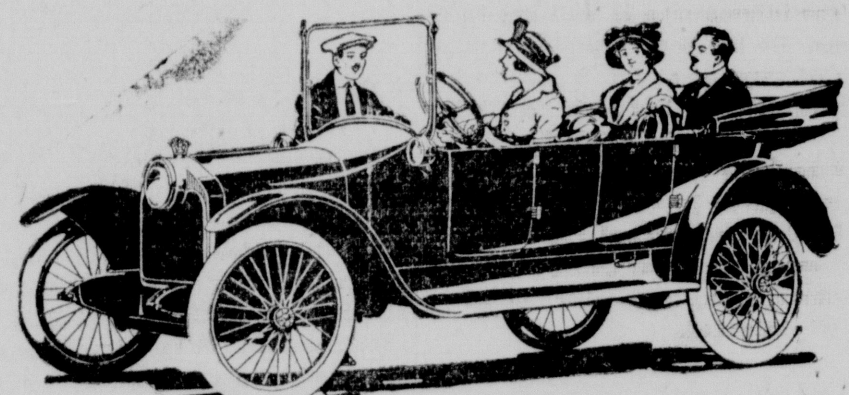
The Dixon Tennis club has moved its court from the Ferguson lot on Galena avenue to the vacant lot on North Dixon avenue north of the E. E. Wingert residence, lying between McKenney and Morgan streets. The lot is being graded and rolled and it is expected to have it in shape to play by the end of this week. It is expected that the membership of the club will be increased as several of the young people on the north side of the river contemplate joining. This is the first time there has been a public court in North Dixon.

William Lister spent Sunday in Peoria.

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## Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

### CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

**Monday**  
Hoi Polloi club—Miss Dolly Fauth  
Peoria Avenue Reading club—Miss Bosworth.  
Hospital Graduation—at Family Theatre

**Wednesday**  
Dixon High school Commencement—Family Theatre  
Unity Guild—Mrs. Weibezahn  
Nelson Ladies Aid—Mrs. LeRoy Ransom

**Thursday**  
Presbyterian Missionary — Mrs. W. H. Coppins

**Friday**  
C. C. Circle—Mrs. Frank Sproul  
C. C. Circle

The C. C. Circle met for a social afternoon last Friday with Miss Florence Netz at her home on North Ottawa avenue. An enjoyable afternoon was spent in fancy work and social chat, the hostess serving light refreshments. Miss Mabel Higley of Polo and Mrs. H. H. Hagen were guests of the circle. The next meeting, to be a tea, will be held Friday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Sproul.

**Miscellaneous Shower**  
Miss Jennie Blomdahl, whose engagement to Morten Dockery of Polo Ill., has been announced, was happily surprised at her home on West Ninth street, by twenty-five neighbors and friends, bringing with them gifts for a miscellaneous shower. The packages contained many delightful surprises for the bride-to-be. The evening was spent in games and music followed by delicious refreshments.

**Entertained Sunday**  
Mr. and Mrs. Alva Boyer of Sterling were Sunday guests at the J. T. Lawrence home in Palmyra.

**Guests at Dinner**  
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Erickson and daughter of Sterling were dinner guests Sunday at the home Mr. and Mrs. Nels Erickson of Prairieville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hutton of Prairieville entertained their daughter, Mrs. Frank Leitz, of Sterling, last week.

**Guest From Sterling**  
Miss Helen Rosengren of Sterling was a week end guest of Miss Joy Stitzel. She attended the Junior-Senior banquet of the Sterling high school Friday evening.

**Kingdom School Closes**  
The Kingdom school, Miss Pearl Feldtkirchner, teacher, closed the year's work Friday with a picnic held in the League rooms of the Kingdom church. About seventy were present and enjoyed a pleasant day, with a sumptuous dinner at noon.

Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Lehman will leave this evening for Barrington, Ill., where they will attend the funeral of an aunt, Mrs. J. W. Kingsley.

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For the How and  
What See

### Guest at Howell Home

Mr. Simonds, landscape architect of Chicago, who has charge of the landscape gardening of Lowell Park, was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Howell. Mr. Simonds is planning the landscape setting for the new home Dr. Ives is to build on E. Fellows street, and also has charge of the work for Dr. Chandler.

### Presbyterian Missionary

The Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. H. Coppins, 4420 N. Crawford Ave.

### At Bovey Home

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Bovey of St. James entertained at Sunday dinner, Rev. and Mrs. L. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Burkett, Mrs. Lindeman, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Duffy, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller Dora and John.

### Guests From Peru

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher and Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Crowl and daughter Eva of Peru motored to Dixon Saturday and took dinner at the S. A. Boyer home. Mr. and Mrs. Crowl will remain in Dixon for a short visit.

### Week End Guest

Miss Lucile Foster of DeKalb Normal, was a week end guest of Miss Hilland, a teacher in the North Dixon schools.

### Strong College of Music

The recital given by the intermediate pupils of the Strong College of Music on Saturday evening filled the music rooms to overflowing with parents and friends of those taking part in the program. The young players gave brilliant selections with an ease and grace that would do credit to much older performers.

Those giving piano solos were: Isabel Fry, Esther Ferguson, Gertrude Tuttle, Stella Gehant, Bessie Sworn, Christina Plein, Ethel Flannigan, Marian Tosney, Avis Swartz, Ione Scott, Hazel Hoff, and Hazel Ross. Violin numbers were given by Ruth Morris, Beatrice Ruggles, James Tosney and Carl Santee.

The pupils of the school are placed in regular systematic classes that lead to graduation in the various courses. The next recital will be given by the Junior class in two weeks.

### Married in California

Announcements have been received of the wedding of Galen Waite, formerly of Palmyra, to Miss Rebecca Elsie Bristow of Earlmar, Cal. Mr. Waite is a nephew of W. W. Lehman of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Waite will make their home at Kingsbury, Cal.

### Guests from Ashton

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Buller of Palmyra entertained Misses Stella and Alma Krug, Cecile Knapp, and Earl Pierce of Ashton Saturday.

### Team to Lee Center

The Forrester Drill team of Dixon Modern Woodmen, Camp No. 56, visited Lee Center Camp, No. 1035, Saturday evening. Four members were initiated into the Lee Center Camp, the Dixon team exemplifying the work. Lunch was served to the visiting team, which numbered twenty-five officers and men.

### Visit Parents

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Humphrey of Chicago were visiting at the home of Mrs. Humphrey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stark.

### Return from California

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Judd will return home this evening after a three months' visit in California. They visited in Los Angeles, San Diego, and San Francisco, attending both the San Diego and Panama-Pacific Expositions, and on their return home, stopped off at Colorado Springs, Denver, and Salt Lake City and other points of interest on the central route.

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### Peoria Avenue Club

Miss Bosworth will entertain the Peoria Avenue Reading club at luncheon today at the Sheffield House, Grand Detour. Following the luncheon they will be entertained at the Bosworth bungalow for the afternoon.

### To Grand Detour

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Martin and guests, Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook, and Mrs. E. B. Owens and daughters motored to Grand Detour Sunday.

### With Relatives

Frederick Rosbrook of Peoria spent Sunday in Dixon with relatives.

### For Mrs. Dille

E. W. Smith and daughter, Miss Ruth, entertained Sunday with a dinner at the Sheffield House, Grand Detour, for Mrs. John Dille of Chicago.

### At Morrison Home

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Todd and Miss Todd were dinner guests Sunday of Attorney and Mrs. C. B. Morrison of Bluff Park.

### Guests at Dinner

Mrs. Camp, Miss Camp, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Eustace, and Miss Eustace were dinner guests of Mrs. Hauser Sunday.

### Ice Cream Social

An ice cream social will be given at the Christian church this evening. Program begins at 8. Everyone invited.

### Ends Galesburg Visit

Mrs. Nellie Large, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Stark, has returned to her home here after a visit in Galesburg, Ill.

### Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grobe of Woodstock entertained at dinner Friday, Mrs. Mary Coffee and daughter Marjorie and Mrs. Oliver Boyer and daughter Lucile, of Prairieville.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Klosterman of Palmyra entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Klosterman and Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Scott and children of Prairieville at dinner Sunday.

### Unity Guild

The Unity Guild of the People's church will meet with Mrs. Weibezahn, 512 N. Ottawa avenue, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

### Nelson Ladies' Aid

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Nelson church will meet with Mrs. LeRoy Ransom of near the Zion church Wednesday, afternoon, May 26th.

### Week End with Son

Mrs. Jane Earl of Grand Detour spent the week end with her son, W. S. Earl, of 722 E. Morgan St.

### Honor Class Member

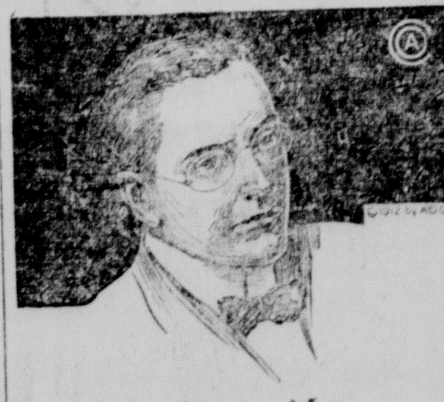
Mrs. Charles Edous of Harrison avenue entertained the members of the R. B. Sunday school class of St. Paul's Lutheran church at her home Friday evening, in honor of Miss Marie Hess, to be a bride of June. About thirty members of the class spent a happy evening together in music and games. During the evening, Rev. F. D. Altman, as spokesman for the class, presented Miss Hess with a beautiful set of silver teaspoons. Cream and cake were served by the hostess.

### Sunday Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coleman entertained at their home near Nachusa at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. John Zarger, Supervisor E. S. Dysart and family, L. Haynes and family, W. W. Woolley and wife, and Mrs. Francis Dysart of this city.

### At Reunion

J. E. Senneff and family of Rock Falls were among the out of town guests at the Senneff family reunion and golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. David Senneff of Quincy, Ill., held at Assembly park, this city, Saturday.



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### Golden Anniversary

About eighty members of the Senneff family from far and near gathered at Assembly park Saturday in a family reunion and to do special honor to Mr. and Mrs. David Senneff of Quincy, Ill., who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Dinner was served in the Annex upon prettily decorated small tables, and later an interesting group picture was taken of all present upon a beautiful spot overlooking Rock River.

Rev. Clinton Senneff, of Ralston, Neb., a son of the honored couple, proposed that the gathering be an annual affair and an organization was made to that effect. H. B. Senneff of Chadwick, Ill., was chosen president; Charles W. Senneff of Sterling, vice president; Miss Ferne Senneff of this city, secretary and treasurer. It was then decided to hold the next annual gathering in June 1916, in Assembly park.

During the day, Harry Senneff, of Chadwick, Ill., in behalf of the other members of the family, presented to Mr. and Mrs. David Senneff, as a token of remembrance of the day, a five-dollar gold piece and a check for fifty dollars, which were accepted with words of appreciation from the worthy couple.

David Senneff was born in Fayette county, Pa., June 8th, 1841. He served in the civil war for three and a half years. He first went with the Eleventh Pennsylvania Reserve and later was transferred to Battery G of the Fifth United States Artillery. He had another brother, the late Jacob Senneff of this city, who fought in the war with the Thirty-ninth Illinois. Shortly after the war, Mr. Senneff was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Lohr, a cousin of James Lohr of this city. Their marriage took place at Wilkesburg, Pa. To their union were born seven children—two of whom are living, Charles W. Senneff residing at Sterling and Rev. Clinton Senneff of Ralston, Neb. There are also eight grandchildren.

Mrs. Senneff was born in Somerset County, Pa., November 15th, 1840, being one of a family of ten, seven boys and three girls. Shortly after their marriage they came to Illinois and resided in Carroll county for a number of years and then came to Dixon where Mr. Senneff conducted a confectionery store for ten or twelve years in this city. After retiring from business Mr. and Mrs. Senneff went to the Old Soldiers' Home at Quincy, Ill., to pass the remainder of their years with the comrades and their wives.

### Entertain at Suitsus

Mesdames A. C. Warner, A. K. Trudell, E. N. Howell, G. H. Squires, C. J. Rosbrook, J. P. Plummer, S. N. Watson, and W. J. McAlpine will entertain Tuesday at Mrs. Warner's cottage, Suitsus, the following ladies from Sterling: Mesdames Brookfield, Edwin Lawrence, Robinson, Wolfspenger, and McCloy and Miss Pennington. The trip to the cottage will be made by boat from Dixon at 10:30 Tuesday morning.

### Sunday Guest

Miss Marcia McWethy of the Kingdom was a guest Sunday of Miss Ada Brink.

### Tea Club

The Tea club members will be entertained on Wednesday by Miss Annette Dimick at her home on Third street.

### At Owens Home

Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Owens entertained at dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Rosbrook and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver H. Martin.

### Banquet Old Thirteenth

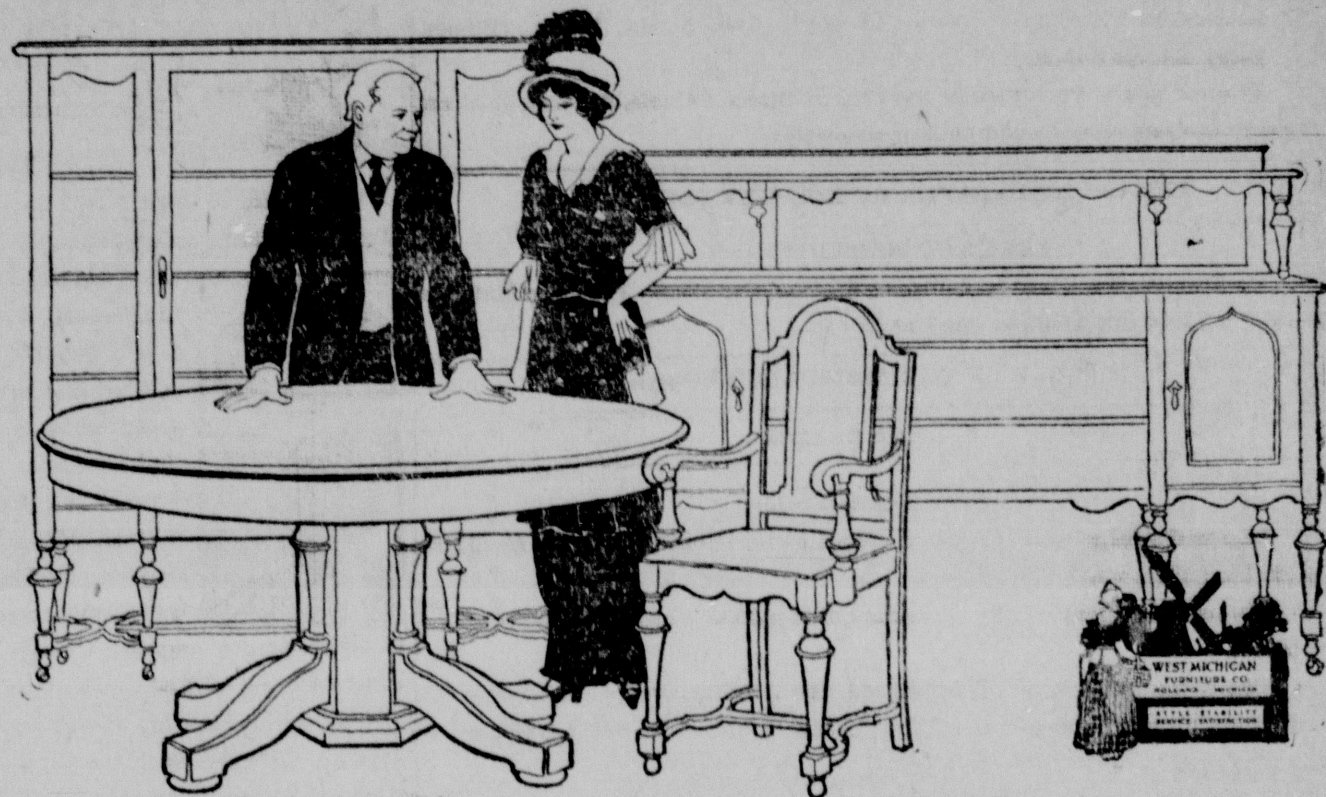
The Woman's Relief Corps will serve the banquet for the Old Thirteenth, in the People's church at 6 o'clock tomorrow evening. All those who have donations will please bring them in early. There will be someone at the church after 9 o'clock in the morning.



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### Phidian Art Club Picnic

The Phidian Art club will hold its annual picnic at Assembly Park, Tuesday, June 1st.

### To Return from Visit

Miss Christine Squires will return from Bloomington this week.

### To Grand Detour

Mrs. G. H. Squires, Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook, Mrs. Robt. Sterling and Miss Edna Rosbrook motored to Grand Detour Saturday and enjoyed supper at the Sheffield.

### Hamilton Whist

Miss Ring will entertain the Hamilton Whist club tomorrow afternoon

### Dine at Galt House

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. McCarthy, William Rink, Miss Rink, and Mrs. Frank Rink and children motored to Polo and Sterling Sunday and took dinner in Sterling at the Galt House

### Auxiliary Camp

Woman's Auxiliary Camp No. 23, U. S. W. V., will hold a special meeting on Tuesday evening at the Armory hall. All members are requested to attend.

### Musical Chocolate

A musical chocolate will be held at the home of Mrs. Paul G. Lord on Wednesday afternoon from three to six o'clock.

All candlelighters, together with their friends and all interested in their work are most cordially invited to attend.

The hostesses are Mrs. Paul Lord, Mrs. E. L. Staples, Mrs. O. H. Brown, Miss Agnes Raymond and Mrs. W. C. McWethy.

### Lee Center Graduation

The graduation of the village school at Lee Center will be held this evening at the Congregational church in that city. There are five members in the class as follows: Mary G. Shaw, Erma R. Gale, Lee King, Glen Bresecher and Allen J. Haley. County Superintendent L. W. Miller will make an address and present the diplomas to the class. Inasmuch as the directors are considering the re-casting of the course of study as now in vogue in the school, Prof. Miller will confine his talk along the line of the best course of study to adopt by rural schools whereby they can get on the accredited list of high schools for two years' work.

### Motor to Mendota

Misses Agnes Hutton and Hazel Small of this city and Messrs James Goyen and Harrison Brown of Aurora, motored to Mendota and spent the day there Sunday.

### Dinner Guests

Miss Kathryn Klein entertained at her home in North Dixon yesterday at dinner, Miss Martha Blackburn, Miss Mary Mahan, and Miss Freda Johnson.

### At Barnhart Home

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson of Palmyra were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barnhart of S. Galena Ave

### Returned to Nachusa

Mrs. Robert Depuy returned to her home in Nachusa today following a few weeks' treatment in the Dixon hospital.

### Grand Detour Graduation

The pupils of the Grand Detour and Hickory Ridge schools have issued invitations to their closing exercises to be held in Illini Hall, Grand Detour, Friday evening, May 28th. The class will consist of the following: Ashley J. Foxley, Jennie Harvey, Ruth P. Portner, Nellie M. Parttman, Grace M. Pyfer, Lela A. Senn.

### ADDITIONAL SOCIETY PAGE 7

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### HIKE TO FREEPORT.

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Officially compiled statistics issued by the national bureau of foreign and domestic commerce at Washington show that merchandise and treasure to the value of \$66,500,000 moved between Alaska and the United States in 1914, an increase of \$4,000,000 over 1913. Our shipments to Alaska last year amounted to \$22,500,000, including approximately \$14,300,000 worth of manufactures, \$6,200,000 worth of foodstuffs, and \$2,000,000 worth of gold, silver and miscellaneous materials, including foreign merchandise valued at \$500,000. As a market for our products Alaska, having a population of only 65,000, is of equal importance with China with a population of 336,000,000.

"Alaska's great purchasing power is a natural corollary of its enormous resources, mainly gold, copper, fishery products and hitherto undeveloped beds of coal and other minerals. In the period since 1867 Alaska has given to the world \$250,000,000 worth of gold, \$183,000,000 worth of fish, \$65,000,000 worth of seal and other aquatic fur skins, \$20,000,000 worth of silver, and whalebone, coal, gypsum, marble, tin and vegetables in sufficient sums to bring her total output to more than \$500,000,000. This result has been achieved with a sparse population and an inadequate system of railroad and other transportation facilities.

"With the new era of government railway construction recently announced by the department of the interior, the development of Alaska will be greatly accelerated and that territory, which already yields as much gold as the state of California, which produces half the world's salmon and which includes a domain as large as our area west of the Mississippi river and an acreage for tillage several times that of those sections of Norway, Sweden and Russia of similar latitude with 11,000,000 souls, may be expected to attain an even greater degree of industrial and commercial importance.

"Alaska's commercial relations are chiefly with the United States. Shipments to the United States last year were valued at \$44,000,000. Canned salmon, \$18,000,000; Alaskan gold, \$14,600,000; Canadian gold, \$3,500,000; Alaskan copper, \$3,300,000; fresh salmon, \$750,000; seal and other fur skins, \$600,000; and miscellaneous fish and fish products, \$1,250,000, were the largest factors. Our purchases of fish and fish products from Alaska last year totaled \$20,000,000, or five times as much as imports of this class from Norway. Of salmon alone we bought from Alaska 200,000,000 pounds in 1914, or an average of two pounds per capita.

"Trade with Alaska has doubled in ten years. Our shipments of merchandise to Alaska increased from \$11,448,423 in 1904 to \$21,610,860 in 1914, while receipts of merchandise from Alaska have grown from \$10,647,592 to \$25,815,832. Receipts of foreign gold from Alaska fell in value from \$9,950,520 in 1904 to \$3,452,192 in 1914, while those of domestic gold rose from \$9,090,957 to \$14,598,237 in 1914, or double the sum of \$7,200,000 paid by this country to Russia in 1867 for the territory in question."

## ITALIAN DECLARATION MAY EFFECT NOTE.

Kaiser Wilhelm may have to tear up his note in reply to President Wilson and write another, since Italy has dipped into the fray, for if he expects to win he surely will not want the odds any greater. It is suggested, however, that a graceful way for Germany to get out of this affair would be to get the United States into the war against her, as well as Italy and the rest of the powers, and then Germany could very properly say, "I cannot fight the whole world. I must surrender."

At any rate, Italy's entrance into the war will not do otherwise than injure Germany and Austria, for Italy's standing army is a million men and that nation expects to have three and one-half million men in the field within a very few weeks. The Italian navy is of respectable size and efficiency, also. Italy is big enough to make things warm for Austria, and thereby cripple Germany.

It will not be any more astounding if Germany and Austria continue to hold off Italy, along with the rest of her enemies, however, for Germany has already accomplished the unbelievable and incomprehensible.

In all these months of war the fighting has raged on soil foreign to Germany. Germany has practically been holding the world at bay and the interesting feature of that is that the cost so far has mainly been paid by the rest of the world.

## "BOYS OF THE THIRTEENTH" MEET HERE.

The "Boys of the Old Thirteenth" meet in Dixon tomorrow, and there are precious few of them left. We honor and revere them, these brave old souls who marched away as gallant youths over half a century ago to fight the battles for union and Old Glory. One of the veterans who will attend the reunion for the first time in many years is Jed Shaw, of New York, a brother of the late Benjamin F. Shaw. Jed Shaw is a veteran of the Thirteenth and an old resident of Dixon. He is greatly enjoying his visits with his old friends here.

Italy sure did slip one over on the kaiser. Isn't Italy the first country that ever beat the kaiser to it by getting in the first declaration of war? As a rule the kaiser gets so impatient waiting for the enemy to declare war that he declares it himself so that the show may commence.

The kaiser likes war, they say, but this affair is getting to be like a four ring circus—too much to watch all at the same time. It's like having all your relatives arrive on the same train.

The attorneys of this part of the state are the well entertained guests of a most genial host at Grand Detour this evening. Judge Farrand is loved by every one of them.

If it wasn't for Mexico it would be insufferably dull on this side of the globe this summer.



INDOORS.

"Oh, I hate to work," said the weary clerk, "in this stale and stuffy store, when the birdlets sing, 'Dumpty-ting-a-ling,' in that tree outside the door; when the skies are fair, and the balmy air is scented with lilac bloom, it is fierce, I say, that a man must stay all day in a dusty room!" Then he takes a day from his work, in May, and rambles the glades and dells; oh, he haunts the streams that he saw in dreams—for a time he is wearing bells. When his jaunt is o'er he returns once more to the place where he earns his mon, where he lately squealed—and his nose is peeled, for it couldn't stand the sun; and his legs are sore where the chiggers tore their way through the juicy meat, and he raves and rants of the blooming ants that thought he was good to eat; and he weeps and squirms as he tells of worms that dined on his shapely calves, and he prates of bugs as he goes for drugs, for liniments, balms and salves. And he says, says he, "It's the store for he, here comfort for aye abides, no more I'll hie where the hornets fly, dad blister their blink blank hides."

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## SALARY RAISE FOR LEGISLATORS.

The weekly bulletin issued by the Legislative Voters League has something to say regarding the proposed raise in salary for the members of the state senate and house of representatives, and we believe the stand is a reasonable one, for the members are giving up their time and to a large extent their means of livelihood, to do the state a service and they should be well paid for it. Their expenses are very heavy and at present the pay is small. Here is what the Legislative Voters League says of it:

There has been much discussion during the session of the question of increased compensation for members of the General Assembly. Practically every legislator believes the present salary of \$2,000 for the two-year term of representative and \$4,000 for the four-year term for state senator is insufficient.

The question of a salary raise has been considered by the League. A resolution recommending an increase in compensation for Assembly members was adopted by a unanimous vote at a meeting of the executive committee of the League.

It is quite certain that members of the Illinois General Assembly are paid smaller salaries, in proportion to the work expected of them, than any other public official in the state of Illinois. The Legislative Voters League believes that Assemblymen who perform efficient work are entitled to more pay than they now receive.

The only pending salary raise measure now pending provides for an increase from \$2,000 to \$5,000 for each two-year period. The proposed increase to \$5,000 is too great a jump to prove popular with the taxpayers of the state. The League hopes that this bill will be amended to increase its biennial compensation to a sum not to exceed \$3,500. It believes that the Assemblymen will be justified in voting themselves such an increase in salary.

Italy, too, is bathing in the blood of the common people of Europe, now. The nation that is not in war this year is surely behind the times.

Italy had to do it and she is in now, up to her ears.

They didn't have a Wilson in Italy.

## City In Brief

Miss Hermina Hecker of Amboy is a guest of Mrs. Ray Kramer.

Miss Luella Powers of Morrison visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Powers of Prairieville, over the week end.

Miss Lina Miller is visiting her sister, Miss Cora Miller, in Mendota.

Mr. and Mrs. Prescott Clark and Miss Goldie Kennedy motored to Clinton, Ia., Sunday.

Carl Coe of Sterling was here today on business.

Charles Lett of Sublette visited his brother, Max Lett, in this city yesterday.

Town Clerk Frank Palmer is in Chicago today.

Bert Spiller left today for Reedsburg, Wis., on business.

T. W. Fuller went to Rockford today.

A. W. Kramer, proprietor of the 5 and 10 cent store, spent the day in Chicago.

Angier Wilson, John Duffy, Webster Poole and Joe Covert left for Lansing, Mich., Sunday evening and will return Tuesday night with new Oldsmobile cars.

John Thome went to Franklin Grove this morning where he is doing some lathing.

Henry Raffensberger went to Franklin Grove this morning on business.

Max Lett motored to Rock Falls Sunday morning.

Phillip Miller went to Chicago today.

O. H. Martin is in Chicago today on business.

Miss Minnie Winters spent the day in Chicago purchasing goods for her millinery store.

Mrs. Louise Greenwood of Salt Lake City, Utah, arrived this morning for a summer's visit with her brother, Atty. A. C. Bardwell.

W. F. Sutherland of the Distilled Water Ice Co., has changed his residence to the Swim house on East Second St.

Mr. and Mrs. Merriam of Council Bluffs are spending the week end with Mrs. Lillian Benjamin.

A. J. Graff, Jr., arrived in Dixon Saturday night for an over Sunday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Graff.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Sullivan and Miss M. M. Winter are visiting in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hausen motored here from Franklin Grove Saturday evening.

Miss Gladys Swartz is confined to her home with tonsillitis.

Harry Bettinger and Miss Nellie Naylor drove down from Polo Sunday to visit friends.

Lawrence Timmons of Freeport is here visiting his son Daniel Timmons and friends.

Wilbur Gitt and wife returned to Beloit this morning after a Sunday visit with the former's father, George Gitt.

T. J. Miller went to Hamilton town ship this morning to look after his farm.

Miss Irene Echinberg returned today from a several days' visit in Freeport.

Frank Hogan of Port Huron, Mich., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hogan of Fourth street, for a few days.

Sammy Bebebeber, Pat Bacon and Ike Donner of Oregon were here Sunday.

Oscar Kanzler of Aledo, Ill., visited with friends in this city yesterday. T. J. Miller was in Hamilton town ship today on business.

Samuel Lehman was a guest over Sunday of Harold Lehman of Franklin Grove.

Edward Slough was in Dixon today from St. James.

## JUDICIAL ELECTION FALLS IN TWO WEEKS

ELECTION FOR SUPREME AND CIRCUIT JUDGES IS NEAR AT HAND

Two weeks from today an election will be held to select three judges of the circuit court in the fifteenth judicial circuit and a judge of the supreme court in the sixth district. The field so far is occupied by only republican candidates and with the prospect there will be no opposition on the part of the democrats. The circuit court nominees, who are now incumbents of the position, are Judge O. E. Heard of Freeport, Judge Jas. S. Baume of Galena and Judge R. S. Farrand of Dixon. The fifteenth judicial district embraces the counties of Stephenson, Lee, Ogle, Jo Daviess and Carroll. No word has reached Freeport from any of these counties that democrats would place candidates in the field, and the outlook is that the republicans will have no opposition. The district has heretofore been so strongly republican that this presumably is the reason why the democrats will make no nominations unless active steps are taken at once and which does not seem probable.

## Cartwright Unopposed

Judge James S. Cartwright of Oregon, republican, is so far unopposed as a candidate for re-election to the supreme bench. The counties of the sixth supreme court district include those of the fifteenth judicial circuit and many other counties, and as no opposition has as yet developed it is quite certain that the field will be free to the Ogle county jurist.

The supreme court judge and the three circuit judges do not regret this situation. Naturally, it is pleasing to them, as no campaign will be necessary to insure their election. The term is for six years.

Miss Florence Dustman spent Sunday in Freeport.

Frank Vaughan stopped off here today on his way to Amboy from a business trip to Indianapolis.

Oscar Kanzler of Aledo spent Sunday here. He was formerly connected with the Illinois Northern Utilities company.

Ray Miller was in Walton today on business.

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## DRIVE AUSTRIANS ACROSS FRONTIER

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tic struggle. The new treacherous enemy to the south is to you no new enemy. I salute my battle tried troops who are inured to victory."

### MINISTER RESIGNS?

Rome says Austrian Foreign Minister Burian has resigned and that he will be succeeded by Premier Tisza of Hungary.

On May 1 the German financiers began to withdraw from Italy hundreds of millions invested in Italian industries. Many of the shares of the Italian companies were exchanged for American securities, says Geneva.

Rome, May 24.—The first armed clash of importance was reported from Brescia. Austrian troops crossed the frontier through the Montozzo pass, about four miles north of the Tonale pass, on the western border of Tyrol. The patrol was met by a troop of Alpine chamois and forced to retreat after a stiff fight. It is not known whether there are any casualties.

### Many Buildings Razed.

The Austrians are feverishly strengthening the defenses of the Trentino. A railroad bridge near Rovereto, just north of Lake Garda, through which the frontier line runs, has been blown up. Many buildings in the town have been destroyed because they would interfere with the artillery fire across the lake. The buildings which have been razed include the convent of the Holy Cross, the civil hospital, St. Mary's church and a large tannery.

### Town Ordered Evacuated.

Riva, the large town at the head of the lake, about three miles from the frontier, has been evacuated. The inhabitants were driven out without shelter or food. The customs posts along the frontier have been removed. Many prominent Italian residents of Rovereto and Riva have been placed in detention camps where they will be held as hostages to guard against a revolt to aid Italian troops.

Notices signed by King Victor Emmanuel calling to the colors all men belonging to the army classes from 1876 to 1895, in other words every Italian of military age, were posted in every city and town of Italy this afternoon. The fact caused no excitement as general mobilization has been expected since the action of parliament on Thursday. The reserves, the Alpine guards, the garrison artillery and the customs guards were called out today. The carabinieri, sharpshooters, aviation staff, transport and medical corps have been called. The infantry of the territorial militia of the five classes from 1877 to 1881 will be called to the colors Tuesday. The remainder of the reserve forces will not be called until June 12.

The war office has announced that all Italians who desire to volunteer will be accepted in all branches of the service.

Pope Benedict has ordered the Hospice of Santa Maria and the six seminaries, including the German college and the South American college, converted into hospitals and placed at the disposal of the Red Cross for wounded soldiers.

### Censorship Strictest Yet.

The army authorities have taken control of the railroads and all vehicles, wagons and automobiles, as well as all the horses in the kingdom, have been commandeered. The censorship in Italy is much more strict than that in France and England. It has been announced that no newspaper correspondents will be permitted to accompany the army and nothing will be published regarding the operations beyond the official announcements of the war office.

Baron Macchio, the Austrian ambassador, called at the foreign office wearing a silk hat and frock coat, to

## ITALY GOES TO WAR ON ALLIES' SIDE

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### Italy's War Strength.

New York, May 24.—The total war strength of Italy's army is 3,330,202 men of all ranks, of whom 1,700,000 men are reported mobilized.

The army consists of the standing army, 248,111 men; the mobile militia, 320,170 men; the territorial militia, 2,275,631 men, and the reserves on unlimited leave, 486,290 men.

There are 24 regiments of field artillery and eight regiments of other artillery branches, a total of 32. The aviation corps has 60 companies, each station or squadron having seven aeroplanes, a probable total of 420 corps ready for immediate use. Italy has 7 battleships of the dreadnaught type and 8 older battleships, a total of 15. The largest are the Giulio Caesar, Leonardo de Vinci and Conte di Cavour, each of 21,500 tons, with a main battery consisting of 13 12-inch guns.

In addition Italy has 9 first class cruisers, 5 second class cruisers, 19 third class cruisers, 5 gunboats, 46 destroyers, 75 torpedo boats and 26 submarines.

### London Italians Parade.

London, May 24.—Thousands of Italians marched through the west end and held patriotic demonstration before the Italian embassy.

## COMMISSIONER AND SALOON MAN AT WAR

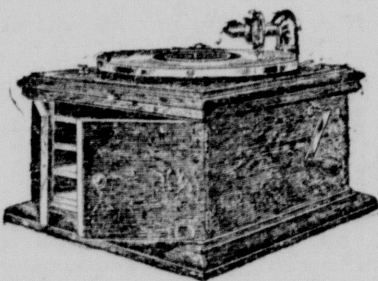
As the result of an altercation on Saturday night on First street between Commissioner J. D. VanBibber and Joseph Schnellbach warrants were sworn out this morning and served on the participants. Mr. Schnellbach made application for a dram shop license and was turned down by the council and the argument grew out of this affair. Schnellbach was arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct and the hearing of the case was continued for a few days by Justice G. W. Hill. This afternoon a warrant was served on Commissioner VanBibber on a charge of assault and battery and the case will be taken before Justice A. H. Hanneken.

## MISSED TOOLS BUT FAILED TO PROSECUTE

SWEETMAN & SON CAUSED ARREST OF WM. MORHART THIS MORNING.

Wm. Morhart was taken into custody this morning by Officer Winters on the charge of having taken a number of tools belonging to Sweetman & Son, owners of the merry-go-round located on the vacant lot west of the Dewey hotel. Morhart claims his home is in Decatur and for the past few days has been working around the merry-go-round. This morning some of the tools were missing and so was Morhart and it was learned later that the tools had been sold by a stranger to a second-hand store. A description of the man was given the officers and Officer Winters located the man near the Northwestern depot. The value of the tools was placed at \$5. As the tools were recovered Mr. Sweetman is not inclined to prosecute the man.

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## Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE.

On Tuesday evening, Daniel Frohman's famous drama of love, duty and law, entitled "The Scales of Justice" will be shown. The play is in four reels and will feature Paul McAllister and Jane Fearnley. In connection with the feature the famous Paramount pictures will be given, showing Jamaica with its fine macadamized roads, wonderful coconut groves, Roaring River Falls near the St. Ann's Bay, and hundreds of other interesting and instructive scenes.

### PRINCESS THEATRE.

Tonight the Princess features a two reel Reliance drama entitled "The Old Shoemaker," with Miriam Cooper and Walter Long in the leading roles. A thrilling Italian romance. The story is one in which an old Italian shoemaker forbids his daughter to see her sweetheart and tries to make her marry the one of his choice. The old father is finally won over to his daughter's selection. The other reels are one reel Reliance drama entitled "The Baby," the startling tale of a small boy's revenge, with an all star cast; and a Royal comedy entitled "Casey's Tribulations," founded on a scrap of gossip.

Mrs. J. A. Williams left Sunday evening for a three months' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. William Lister was a guest Sunday at the Edward McAllister home in Sterling.

Miss Alice Lehman spent Sunday with Miss Etha Trostle of Franklin Grove.



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## MEMORIAL SERVICES HELD SUNDAY AT HALL

G. A. R. AND W. R. C. HONORED DEPARTED MEMBERS—FLOWERS ON WATERS

Memorial services for their departed comrades were conducted by the Dixon G. A. R. and W. R. C. Sunday afternoon, a fitting service at their hall preceding the ritual at the river, where flowers were strewn on the waters, in token of appreciation and memory of those who sleep in watery graves.

The service was opened by invocation of the Divine blessing by Rev. C. H. Day, pastor of the Christian church, after which Adjutant Day of the post read the names of four members who had passed away during the year. They were:

Jesse Clark, Martin Gannon, Jerry Raymond and Henry Woodyatt.

Following this a quartet composed of Mrs. Lee Read, Miss Myrtle Rice, Rev. C. H. Day, and Mr. Evans sang.

The record of deceased members of the W. R. C. for the year includes five names as follows:

Mrs. Gula Hill, Miss Ella McGrath, Mrs. Minerva Ayres, Mrs. Rebecca Ayres and Mrs. Lucy Franklin.

Another selection by the quartet was followed by prayer by Mrs. Nancy Prescott, chaplain of the corps, and by three beautiful readings by Mrs. A. G. Burnham, and the service was closed by singing, "Nearer My God to Thee."

Commander Charles Johnson presided at the G. A. R. services, and Nellie L. Eastman, president, at the W. R. C. services.

### Motor Trip

Charles Kling, Quincy Adams, Edwin Duffy, G. B. Stephentisch, formed a motor party yesterday enjoying a trip to Amboy, Sablette and Mendoto.

Mrs. Theodore Kreiter of Amboy was a Dixon visitor this morning.

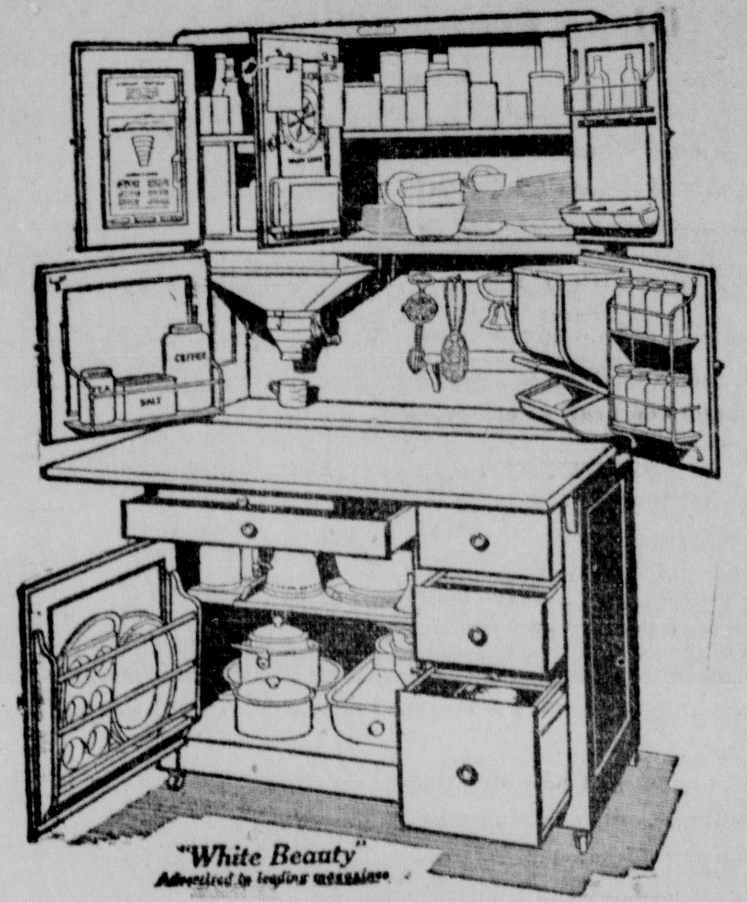
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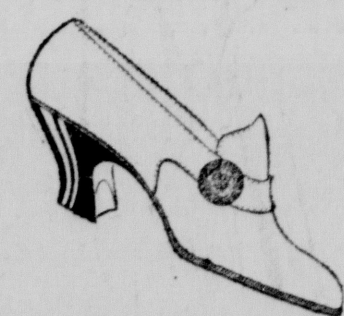
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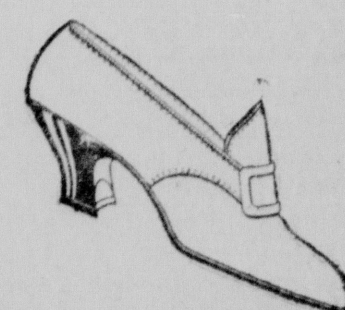


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## SELF-DEFENSE IS PLEA OF KAISER

Washington Expects Germany's  
Answer This Week.

### HOLDS U. S. PARTLY AT FAULT

It is believed the Note of Germany will attempt to place upon the United States Part of Responsibility for the Sinking of the Lusitania.

Washington, May 24.—Germany's reply to the United States is expected before the end of the week. State department officials will be surprised if it is not couched in friendly terms, but at the same time they expect it to raise some difficult diplomatic questions.

From advice which have been received it is now understood that Germany will endeavor to place upon the United States indirect responsibility for the extent of Germany's submarine warfare and the complained of consequences.

An attempt will be made to show that the sinking of the Lusitania was in a way forced upon Germany by what Germany will claim is the unfair operation of American neutrality.

#### Right to Sell Munitions.

Germany will grant that the United States has a right under international law to sell munitions of war to such belligerents as are in a position to buy.

But Germany will contend that when Germany was put in a position where she was unable to contract for the delivery of munitions to German ports, it was unfriendly on the part of the United States not to be satisfied with furnishing munitions to Germany's enemies up to the normal capacity of the arms and munitions industries of the United States, but to not run these industries night and day and even build up extensive new industries.

Germany also will contend that if Great Britain had a right to draw on the United States for arms and ammunition Germany also had a right to draw on the United States for foodstuffs and under international law was entitled to receive them at every German port around which a blockade had not been established by Germany's enemies.

#### Protest Against Blockade.

The right of the United States to ship foodstuffs to Germany and the right of Germany to have them delivered where no effective blockade had been established in accordance with the precepts of international law, Germany will contend, has been interfered with and practically nullified by the action of Great Britain in closing the North sea to neutral commerce by a blockade of the English channel.

It will be pointed out that the United States protested against this unlawful course of Great Britain, but has been powerless to have its protest heeded.

As Germany was not in a position to enforce its rights with regard to the shipment of foodstuffs from the United States to Germany, and as the United States did not enforce its right to make and deliver such shipments, the German note will argue that Germany was justified in taking whatever means she could command to enforce her rights.

### JURIES NEVER BELIEVE MEN

Postmaster Is Convicted on Testimony of Girl.

Hackensack, N. J., May 24.—George A. Hurd, postmaster at Haworth, this county, who was charged by Martha L. Conrad with having attacked her, was declared guilty by a jury.

The young woman accused Hurd of having taken her to Atlantic City and to New York. She was a clerk in the post office. Hurd denied the charges and asserted that at Atlantic City it was his daughter who was in his company. His daughter went on the stand and swore that this was the case.

### WE NOW HAVE "TELESCRIBE"

Edison Invents Device for Recording Conversations by Telephone.

West Orange, N. J., May 23.—That he has finished his thirty-eight years of labor on a new invention which he has styled the "telescribe" was the announcement of Thomas A. Edison at his laboratory here.

The device will record telephone conversations even though speakers are 3,000 miles apart, and a simple, small box on a business man's desk will be his guarantee against misunderstanding language used by him to others, as well as an insurance that he got messages to himself accurately.

#### Greek King Operated Upon.

Athens, May 24.—King Constantine, who is seriously ill with pleurisy, has been operated on. After the operation his temperature rose to 101.8 and later to 103.2.

Have the pantry shelves attractive.

If you use white paper right from the J. F. Shaw Pig. Co. they will be. It's only a cent a sheet.

### RESCUED AMERICAN SEAMEN OF STEAMER TORPEDOED BY THE GERMANS.



These seamen of the American steamer Gulfport were saved by British tugs and patrol boats after the vessel was torpedoed off Sicily Islands on May 1. Three of the crew lost their

lives as a result of the attack. The testimony of the survivors was to the effect that the German submarine gave no warning whatever, but shot the torpedo into a vessel flying the Ameri-

can flag in plain view. This has been the cause of the representations made to the German government in the note of President Wilson, which was sent Friday.

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC LETTING.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the undersigned Road and Bridge Committee of the Lee County Board of Supervisors, at the office of the County Clerk of said County up to the hour of noon, Tuesday, June 1, 1915, for the contract for the filling to be done at the new McRoberts Crossing over the Chicago Northwestern Railway, about one mile west of the City of Dixon, in said County.

Each said bid is to be accompanied with certified check for \$300.00 made payable to Fred G. Dimick, County Clerk of said County. The successful bidder is to furnish bond in the sum of double the amount of his contract, conditioned for the faithful performance of the same.

Plans and Specifications for this work are on file in the office of the said County Clerk for the information of prospective bidders. The amount of earth to be put in place for Lee County is 8546 cu. yds., being 6486 cu. yds. in the approach on the northerly side of the railroad Right of Way, and 2060 cu. yds. in the approach on the southerly side of same.

Earth for said northerly fill can be had free at either the Dix Lvs or the Ben McWilliams gravel pit. For the said south fill, 1060 cu. yds. can be obtained from a cut in the roadway over the hill between the crossing and the Hill School House; the remaining 1000 cu. yds. from the said gravel pit strippings.

Bidders are requested to submit two bids in respect to the said south approach: one, the price per yard for material taken from the said gravel pits; the other, the price per yard for material taken from the said hill.

The south approach is to be a 5% grade, extending 325 feet south from said Right of Way. The north approach is a 6% grade.

The said approaches, when built to the grade and dimensions of the Plans, are to be macadamized after the best manner, with first-class limestone, broken to dimensions running from 1 to 3 inches, covered with screenings sufficiently to fill the voids, and rolled to the approval of said Road and Bridge Committee. The stone is to be spread to the width of 24 feet, 12 inches deep at the middle line and 9 inches at the side. Bids by the cubic yard are solicited for the said macadam work.

Payment for the work above advertised will be made in the following manner: When one-fourth of fill is made, 60% will be paid on the amount of work done; When one-half of work is done, 60% of said installment will be paid on the amount of work done; When three-fourths of work is done, 60% of said installment will be paid on the amount of work done; and when the fill is completed and accepted, by the Engineer and Committee in charge of said work, settlement will be made in full. None of payments will be made except on the estimate made by the Engineer in charge and approved by the Committee in charge of said work.

Said work must be completed by Oct. 1, 1915.

On said Tuesday, June 1, 1915, said bids will be publicly opened at the Lee County Court House at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. and the contract awarded to the lowest and best bidder. The Committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids, and to advertise a retelling.

In connection with the foregoing work, a fill of 2853 cu. yds. is to be made upon the said Right of Way, and macadamized as above specified, for the said Railway Co. Dirt will be furnished for said fill from said Right of Way and within 1000 feet of the

approach. Bids on said railroad work are hereby invited, but will have to be accepted by the officials of the said Company.

Also bids are invited for the same time and place by the Commissioners of Highways of The Town of Nelson, said County and State, for taking from said hill some 2260 cu. yds. of material and placing same in a fill between the south approach, already specified, and the said hill. Plans for the said work are to be seen at the office of the Lee Co. Supt. of Highways. Each bid for this work will be accompanied with check for \$200, payable to the Town Clerk of the Town of Nelson, and the successful contractor will give bonds in double the amount of his contract.

Dated this 19th day of May, A. D. 1915.

E. J. MANNION,  
C. C. BUCKALOO,  
J. P. DREW,  
L. J. TROSTLE,  
J. J. WAGNER.

Lee Co. Road & Bridge Committee, in charge of said work.

#### No. 172, Series of 1914.

#### FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, caused to be filed in the County Court of said County of Lee on the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1915, a certificate, showing the final cost of constructing vitrified tile pipe sewer in Fourth Street, for sanitary purposes, under and in pursuance of City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance No. 172, Series of 1914, and the amount estimated by said Board to be required to meet the accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate the collection of the assessment for said work.

Said certificate also shows that said work has been done and completed by the contractor doing the work in substantial conformity to the requirements of said ordinance and has been duly accepted by said board.

The final cost of said improvement and the amount estimated for interest as shown on said certificate are as follows:

521 linear feet of 8" sewer complete at sixty-four (64) cents per linear foot	\$333.44
206 linear feet of 6" house connection laterals at thirty (30) cents per linear foot	61.80
1 manhole at thirty-two (32) dollars	32.00
1 flushing tank at seventy (70) dollars	70.00
Total cost of work	496.24
Lawful expense	89.37
Total cost of improvement	585.61

Public notice is further given that the court has set said certificate and any objections that may be filed therein for hearing at nine o'clock in the forenoon on Monday, the 14th day of June, A. D. 1915, or as soon thereafter.

Said hearing will be held in the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois.

Any person interested may file objections before the time set for hearing and appear and show cause why said petition shall not be taken as true.

Dated this 24th day of May, A. D. 1915.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVE-

#### MENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS.

BY MARK C. KELLER, ITS ATTORNEY.

### PENN. CORNERS

Pennsylvania Corners, May 23.—D. E. Seyster was an over Sunday visitor at Savanna.

The social at "The Corners" was a very successful affair. About twenty-five ladies were present Wednesday at the Ladies Aid society meeting. Much work was accomplished. Gentlemen who donated their work for the day were Jacob Dockery, H. H. Powell, and D. E. Seyster, V. H. Bovey being in attendance in the afternoon at a meeting of the trustees of the Cemetery Association. Mr. Bovey was elected to the office of trustee for the next three years.

Miss Bessie and Lester Jones were Oregon visitors Saturday.

Lester Jones leaves Monday for a visit with Iowa friends.

J. C. Miller and David Bovey were visitors in Dixon.

Charles Bombere and family spent Saturday in Polo.

George Drenner and family of Polo were recent callers here.

Mr. and Mrs. Manville Higley were here from Polo recently.

John Wisner of Polo spent a few days the past week at Pine Creek.

Jacob Dockery was a recent business visitor in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fessler spent Thursday with Dixon friends.

Miss Nellie Ambrose is recuperating at home.

D. B. Netz is making marked improvements at the John Stiff home in the way of carpenter work.

Miss Anna Brimblecom was a recent guest at the V. H. Bovey home.

Don't forget the picnic next Friday, May 28th, at Lowell park. The Misses Seyster and Butts, teachers of the Highland and Larrance schools, will welcome you. Having completed their school terms, they together with the patrons of the district, will hold their annual outing.

#### HELD FUNERAL SERVICE SUNDAY

The remains of Miss Ruth Carpenter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Carpenter, arrived in this city on Saturday evening over the Illinois Central road from Girardeau, Mo., and were taken to the home of Mr. Carpenter's mother, Mrs. J. W. Carpenter, on Nachusa avenue. The funeral was held from there on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. Stebbins of the Congregational church and Rev. Divan of the Grace Evangelical church officiating.

#### IS VERY ILL

Charles Hayes, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hayes of E. Second street, is very ill.

#### HOME GROWN BERRIES

NOW ON MARKET  
P. Bowser, who has two large patches of strawberries consisting of over five acres, is supplying the local market with berries and has been for nearly a week. The prospect this season is very favorable for a large crop.

#### VERY ILL

Mrs. Geo. L. Kime of South Galea Ave., is very ill with neuritis, and her daughter Mrs. Shellenberger, of Kansas City, has been sent for.

What's become of the old-fashioned man who said "Coffee is Coffee"? He is probably drinking Golden Sun Coffee and has found the difference.



That's what you want, and that's what Calumet is guaranteed to give you—

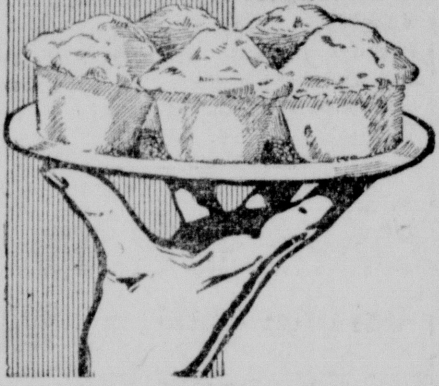
It is sure in perfect leavening qualities, in wholesomeness, in purity.

Perfectly raised, meltingly tender biscuit, cake, muffins, griddle cakes, are bound to result from its use.

Calumet goes farther than other baking powders—and it's moderate in cost.

Insist on it at your grocers.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS  
World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Illinois.  
Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912



### GERMANY EVEN LIMITS AMOUNT OF OATS SOWN

NO DETAIL TO CONSERVE FOOD SUPPLY IS BEING OVERLOOKED

Berlin, May 3. No detail is too small to be overlooked by the Government in its measures to make the most of the food supply. A formal order of the Federal Council even prescribed the amount of oats, that might be used in sowing this spring, setting it at about 10-14 bushels each hectare, which amounts roughly to 4-6 bushels an acre.

An appeal has gone out to the farmers to use drills as much as possible in sowing, since a greater amount of seed than that prescribed is generally used in broadcasting, the system still employed by the greater majority of German farmers. Farmers who own drills are asked to lend them to their less fortunate neighbors.

#### BIG ASPARAGUS.

Jesse Beach this morning exhibited to the merchants of the city a stalk of asparagus which is exceptionally large, being over a foot in length and about one and one-half inches in diameter.

#### ELKS MEET TONIGHT.

The regular meeting of the Dixon lodge of Elks will be held this evening.

### HOW "TIZ" HELPS SORE, TIRED FEET

Good-bye sore feet, burning feet, swollen feet, sweaty feet, smelling feet, tired feet.

Good-bye corns, callouses, bunions and raw spots. No more shoe tightness, no more slipping with pain or drawing up your face in agony.

"TIZ" is magical. It's right off. "TIZ" draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet. Use "TIZ" and forget your foot misery. Ah! how comfortable your feet feel. Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" now at any druggist or department store. Don't suffer. Have good feet, glad feet, feet that never swell, never hurt, never get tired. A year's foot comfort guaranteed or money refunded.

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### WILL SHE BE VICTIM OF A SUBMARINE?



Margaret Muriel Harvey

This little girl with her parents sailed on the White Star liner Cymric for England, Friday. She is going into the war zone created by the German submarines, but she is a non-combatant. Her trip will take her very near the ground where a week ago a German torpedo sank the Lusitania and carried to the bottom a score or more of children like her. Perhaps if she looks about from the deck of the White Star liner she may see some of the bodies of the little victims of the Lusitania floating in the water off Old Head, Kinsale, Ireland.

Record sheets for nurses in blocks of 50, for sale at the Evening Telegraph office.

## WOMAN WANTS TO HELP OTHERS

By Telling How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.

Miami, Okla.—"I had a female trouble and weakness that annoyed me continually. I tried doctors and all kinds of medicine for several years but was not cured until I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I hope my testimonial will help other suffering women to try your wonderful medicine."—Mrs. M. R. MILLER, Box 234, Commerce, Okla.

Another Woman who has Found Health in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Lindsborg, Kansas.—"Some years ago I suffered with terrible pains in my side which I thought were inflammation, also with a bearing down pain, backache, and I was at times awfully nervous. I took three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and am now enjoying good health. I will be glad to recommend your medicine to any woman suffering with female trouble and you may publish this letter."—Mrs. A. L. SMITH, R. No. 3, Box 60, Lindsborg, Kansas.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

#### TAKEN HOME TODAY.

Mrs. Robert DePay of Nachusa was removed from the Dixon hospital to her home today. She is convalescing most favorably from the effects of a recent operation.

Miss Mary Hauser has returned from a week's visit in Chicago.

### SEE THE SPRING STYLES IN MEN'S HATS SEE THE HATS FOR \$1.00

New Neckwear, Elgin Shirts, Hosiery, Trunks, and Suit Cases. Suits & Overcoats made-to-order \$15 up. Coat & Pants \$13.50 up

CALL AND LOOK AT

### TODD'S HAT STORE

POPERA HOUSE BLOCK

DIXON, ILLINOIS

### CLEANING AND PRESSING

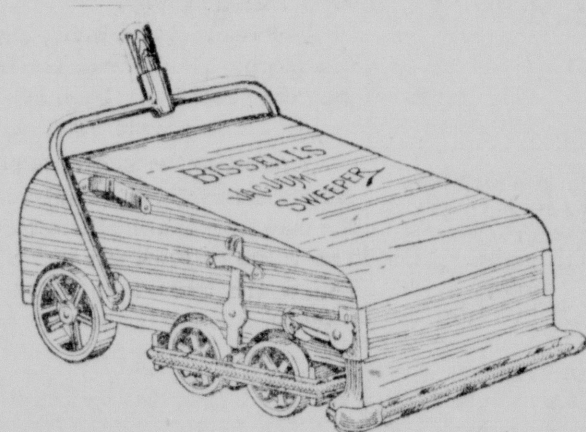
Modern Equipment for handling all Men's and Women's clothing

WORK CALLED FOR AND DELIVERED

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Phone—952

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### The New Bissell's VACUUM MACHINES

are as easy to empty as they are to operate.

The dust receptacle comes out with the nozzle in one piece. The little pans dump with a finger movement. These conveniences lead in the points of superiority which make Bissell's Vacuum Cleaners worthy of the Bissell name and guarantee.

### G. J. REED,

112 E. FIRST ST.

DIXON, ILL.

### A Large Shipment for the Spring Trade has Arrived

The Famous Ladies  
Shoe—FORD'S

\$3 Special

The Best Shoe sold in Dixon for the money. We have handled this shoe for 25 years; up to the minute in style. In Bloucher, Button, Lace, Goodyear Welts, Hundturned, Gypsy Cut, Nurse, In 'high and low heel, Cloth Tops, "A" to "EE"

### Ford's Cash Shoe Store

110 E. FIRST STREET



## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

MAN WANTS BUT LITTLE HERE BELOW  
THAT HE CANNOT GET BY ADVERTISING

H. L. Fordham, Pres. W. J. Worsley, V. Pres. Frank A. Fordham, Sec.

DIXON REALTY COMPANY  
DIXON, ILLINOIS

Insurance Real Estate Loans

## WANTED

WANTED. Highest market price paid for all kinds of junk, old iron, rags, rubber, metal, also hides and wool. Trading direct with us means more money for your goods. Call 413 for our orders. S. Rubenstein, 114-118 River St., Dixon.

WANTED. Woodwork of all kinds, furniture repairing, remodeling and building new furniture, interior woodwork, stair building, pattern making, lawn mower and tool sharpening and saw filing, screen doors and windows built to any size, at 213 East First street. O. Selgestad & Son, 2 doors east of Hotel Bishop. Phone 737. 411f

WANTED—Learn barber trade and quit worrying about hard times. Barbers are never out of employment. Write for catalogue. Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Ia. 06124

WANTED. Everyone in Dixon to bring their shoes to me for repairing. Once a customer, always a customer. Workmanship and material the best. Full line foot easers, polish, shoe strings and soles. H. Beckingham, 108 Hennepin Ave. 161f

WANTED—Work by the day, sweeping and cleaning. Call Mrs. Mary Schmidt, 524 East Third street. 271f

WANTED—Have your wall paper cleaned and made as good as new. I can do it and guarantee it; give me a trial, also let me do your painting. Floyd Ankeny, telephone 15, Leake's drug store. 371f

WANTED—Your order for rugs to be made from old carpet. H. Squier, Agt. for Elgin Rug Co. Phone 14269, Dixon, Ill. 70 3mo

WANTED—Housework—or cleaning by the hour, also plain sewing. Mrs. J. L. Hartman, Phone 13973. 831f

WANTED.—To rent—Moderate sized furnished house or furnished rooms for house keeping. Address E.—this office. 861f

WANTED to Rent: House with small garden or a small flat. Location no object. Wanted about May 15. Reliable party. Address L. B., care this office. 1041f

WANT man of business notions with \$700.00 secured. Coffee roasting and tea business. Salary \$85.00 then 30% profit. Get Commercial report on this. Sanitary Coffee Co., Seattle, Wash. 1101f

DON'T use your old corn plow shovels when you can buy new ones as cheap as you can. Get your old ones pointed, \$2.50 per set of six; if any round shank. Buy them in. Worley & Close, Blacksmith shop, 87 Peoria Ave., Dixon. Horseshoeing and woodwork. Repairing of all kinds. Plow work. Tire setting. 110mo1

WANTED. Women to make dust caps. Will buy entire output. Big profits. No canvassing. Material furnished any distance. Pleasant, steady employment. Stamp for reply. Union Mfg. and Supply Co., Kokomo, Ind. 114ml

WANTED: To rent, 5 or 6 room house, at once, with garden and modern conveniences. Address L. B., Care Telegraph. 1181f

WANTED: To buy a small kitchen table with a drop leaf. Telephone 14538, or call at 201 E. Chamberlain 11913

WANTED. Good girl for waiting on table and helping otherwise. Good wages. Santone Hotel, Phone 860. 120 6

WANTED. Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, by couple. Address M. P. Black, care Telegraph office. 121 6\*

BOARD and Room may be had in private family, for one or two gentlemen. 501 S. Galena Ave. 119 3\*

HOUSE FOR SALE  
VERY CHEAP

6 rooms and large hall on one side of it; 5 rooms and large hall on other; 2 cellars, cisterns and woodsheds. Lot 100x75, near postoffice, 315 East 5th St. Gas, city water and cement walks. Renting for \$16 a month. My price is \$1475. Long time, easy payments. The rent from one side is now paying 6% interest on the price asked.

Geo. C. Loveland

FOR SALE: 100 bushels of late potatoes; also One-Minute Washer, positively as good as new, for \$5.00. Phone 2220. Walter Brauer, R. No. 7. 11916

FOR SALE. Gas range, a steel range and a baby cab. Phone 13314. 119 3

FOR SALE: Lot 100 by 150 feet. With Small House always rented. Only three blocks from the Court House. A bargain if taken at once. Free prices and terms see us. Dixon Realty Co., corner First street and Galena Ave. 11913

FOR SALE. Several lots, bargains, in Dement's add. Phone 783. Mrs. G. H. Squires, 519 E. 2nd St. 1171f

FOR SALE—Easy payments. A 9-room house, lot 120 foot front and 150 feet deep. Furnace, fruit trees and grapes. Close to street car line, four blocks from one school and five blocks from another. Inquire at this office. 671f

FOR SALE. Cycle car, Scripps Booth. Brand new tires and in first class running order. For information write to Elbert Davison, Polo, Ill. 121 3\*

FOR SALE. Flying Merkle motorcycle, 1914 model, at a bargain. Telephone 1016. Call 921 First St. 121 3\*

FOR SALE. Five passenger 40-horse power Overland car in first class condition. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Telephone 14747 or call at 705 W. Second St. 121 3\*

FOR SALE. Girl's bicycle, good as new. Mrs. Asher, 1308 W. Sixth St. 121 3

FOR SALE. Bluff Park Home. Eight room modern house, lot 100x150. Brick paved street; sewer, gas, electricity, city water, new heating apparatus with Rheostat, bath room and a sleeping porch. House in first class condition; choice location, in preferred residence district, yet close to business center. Price on application. Will exchange, smaller house or vacant property. E. C. Parsons, 523 Everett St. Phone 13479. 621f

FOR SALE—Some bargains in North Dakota land. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, Coldwater Co., N. Dak. 11f

FOR SALE. Some bargains in North Dakota land. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, Cavalier Co., N. Dak. 731f

FOR SALE: Baled hay and straw. Corner Commercial Alley and Ottawa Ave. Chas. M. Burket. 11f

FOR SALE: A most desirable building lot in North Dixon. Very reasonable if taken at once. Call Home phone 783. Mrs. Geo. H. Squires, 519 E. Second St., Dixon, Ill. 1171f

FOR SALE. Strictly fresh eggs, choice table poultry, crate fatted, live or dressed in most sanitary manner, delivered. H. B. Green. Phone 13931. 116 6

FOR SALE. Bargains in Used Pianos. Detmer, ebonized case ..... \$85 Wellington, oak, almost new... 125 Kimball, large mahogany ..... 115 Smith & Barnes, used slightly for teaching ..... 235 Organs ..... \$5.00, \$10.00, \$15.00 These instruments must be sold to make room for new stock of Janssen pianos. Easy time payments if desired. Pay no attention to "knocks" from other dealers, we are competent to judge good pianos and we undersell all competitors. Come and see us or telephone 52 and we will come and see you.

W. F. Strong College of Music, Rosbrook Bldg. opp. Princess Theatre 1201f

FOR SALE. 3000 acres best bargains in Minnesota and N. D. will be sold to settle estate. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, N. D. 831f

## MARKETS

Local prices paid for grain:

	Mixed White
Corn .....	68
Oats .....	48
Local Produce Quotations.	
Chickens .....	17
Creamery butter .....	21
Eggs .....	17
Dairy butter .....	23
Lard .....	11
Potatoes .....	50
New potatoes, peck .....	65

LOCAL MILK PRICES.

Test	Per 100 lbs
3.0	\$1.05
3.1	1.08
3.2	1.11
3.3	1.14
3.4	1.17
3.5	1.20
3.6	1.23
3.7	1.26
3.8	1.29
3.9	1.32
4.0	1.35
4.1	1.38
4.2	1.41

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Chicago, May 24, 1915.

Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—			
May 154	155	154	154 1/4
July 126 1/2	127 1/2	126	126 3/4
Sept 121	121 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
Corn—			
May 73 1/4	74 1/4	73 1/4	74 1/4
July 75 1/4	76 1/4	74 1/4	76 1/4
Sept 76 1/4	77 1/4	75 1/4	76 1/4

Oats—			
May 52	52 1/2	52	52 1/4
July 50 1/2	50 1/2	50	50 1/2
Sept 45	45	44 1/2	44 1/2

Pork—			
May 1782	1787	1781	1787
July 1800	1815	1800	1815

Lard—			
May 972	972	972	972
July 980	985	975	985

Ribs—			
May 1042	1042	1040	1040
July 1055	1060	1057	1059

Receipts today—  
Hogs—42,000.  
Cattle—20,000.  
Sheep—8000.  
No hogs left over.  
Hogs open 5 to 10c lower than Saturday's average.  
Light—735@770.  
Mixed—730@765.  
Heavy—705@755.  
Rough—705@715.  
Cattle steady to 10c lower.  
Sheep strong to 10c higher.  
Hogs close active, 10c lower than Saturday's average.  
Estimated tomorrow—20,000.

FOR SALE. Sideboard. Mrs. J. Dunton, 518 Peoria Ave. 121 3

FOR RENT: Two newly decorated rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Only respectable people need apply. Corner of Logan avenue and Rock Island road. Call phone 1,3649. 12113

FREE TRIP  
If we don't show better soil and better farm bargains than can be found elsewhere, will pay your fare and we pay it if you buy.  
\$2.00 PER ACRE CASH WITH balance, and interest on improved 160 acres from Hogs and 5 sows each year.

COME WHERE  
Farmers make money faster than any other place in the United States.  
Will give you 160-acre farm if you find three renters elsewhere who, starting with nothing, went so much in debt, have made as much as one renter here in the same time.

WADSWORTH CO., Langdon, N. D. 831f

Do you want to buy a newspaper? Write to the American Type Foundry Co., Portland, Ore. They have one in Oregon for sale cheap.

FOR RENT. Furnished double room in new, modern house; 3 blocks from P. O. 315 E. 2nd St. Telephone 12615. 971f

FOR RENT. Furnished rooms, all modern; no cooking. Enquire Mrs. Cora M. Kaylor, 812 W. First St. 971f

FOR RENT. Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1102 W. Third St. Phone 727. 120 3

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## ADDITIONAL SOCIETY

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John D. Wiley, Reuben A. Winebrenner. The teachers are Mrs. Jennie B. Earle, Grand Detour, and Miss Myra Young, Hickory Ridge. Dr. Warren of Elmira, N. Y., will deliver the address. Following the program ice cream and cake will be sold.

Brunson-Wahl.  
Miss Catherine M. Wall, daughter of J. T. Wall of this city, and Earl F. L. Brunson, son of Mrs. Mary Brunson of Louisville, Ky., were quietly married at the parsonage of St. Patrick's church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, Father Foley officiating. The ring ceremony was used. Miss Geneva Sherman and Mr. Arve Dailey were the attendants. Miss Wall was prettily dressed in white while Miss Sherman wore pink. Both the bride and her attendant carried bouquets of pink and white carnations.

Following the ceremony a dainty wedding supper was served at the Albert Sherman home on N. Peoria avenue. The bridal party and Mr. and Mrs. George Howarten, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMullen and Miss Carrie Hess were those present. Mr. and Mrs. Brunson will make their home in Dixon.

Launch Trip.  
Miss Minnie Tourtellott entertained her house party guests, Miss Irene Bull of Beloit, Wis., and Mr. Gilbert Bates of Duluth and Ray Williams of Chicago with a launch ride to Grand Detour Saturday.

House Party Breaks Up.  
Miss Irene Bull of Beloit, Gilbert Bates of Duluth and Ray Williams of Chicago returned to their homes today following a week end house party as the guests of Miss Minnie Tourtellott.

Marriage Announcement.  
Announcement has been received by Dixon friends of the marriage of Mrs. Harry Y. Rose to Arthur Bowers Wing, manager of the Regal shoe store in New York City. The wedding occurred in New York May 18th.

At Countryman Home.  
Mrs. Eudora Sheass of Holcomb, Ill., is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Countryman.

Men's Class to Ashton  
The Men's class of the Methodist church of this city, to the number of about ninety, went to Ashton Sunday and held a joint session with the large class of the Methodist church of that city, which is under the direction of E. S. Rosecrans. Mr. Ahrens, teachers of the Dixon class, taught the lesson. The Methodist Sunday school orchestra of this city, which accompanied the class, rendered several numbers, and the quartet from the Ashton class sang a beautiful selection. The Ashton class numbers about 75, so it was a most enthusiastic gathering. A return visit of the Ashton class is scheduled for June 13th.

At Lebowich Home  
Mrs. Herman Lebowich of Oregon was a guest yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lebowich.

From LaMoille  
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ansteth and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Martin of LaMoille motored to Dixon Saturday and were guests Saturday and Sunday.

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PLAIN QUESTIONS  
TO DIXON PEOPLE

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Would Dixon people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills as they do if the medicine were not reliable? Would they confirm their statements after years have elapsed if their experiences did not show the remedy to be deserving of it? Statements like the following must carry conviction to the mind of every reader:

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Mrs. G. W. Schrock and Mr. and  
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Mr. and Mrs. Barry Lennon and  
Mrs. Katherine Ballou spent Sunday  
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tained a few friends at dinner Sun-  
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### HARMON BOY FINED IN DIXON COURT TODAY

LEO MONGOVEN ASSESSED \$25  
AND COSTS BY JUSTICE  
HANNEKEN.

A hearing was had this afternoon  
before Justice A. H. Hanneken in the  
case of Leo Mongoven, arrested three  
weeks ago on a charge of disorderly  
conduct. Mongoven was charged with  
beating to the door of the Daniel D.  
Leonard sample room in Harmon. Se-  
veral witnesses were examined, two be-  
ing members of the town board, of  
Harmon, who testified that it had  
been reported that the dram shops of  
the village had not been living up to  
the law. Mrs. Mongoven, mother of  
the young man, whom she testified is  
but 18 years of age, stated that it was  
a common occurrence to see boys in  
the village under the influence of  
liquor. After hearing the testimony  
Judge Hanneken assessed a fine of  
\$25 and costs against the young man,  
which was paid.

#### LAW SUIT FOLLOWS CHARGES

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Danville, Ill., May 24.—Damage suits  
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ten, were filed by Miss Lillian Lewis  
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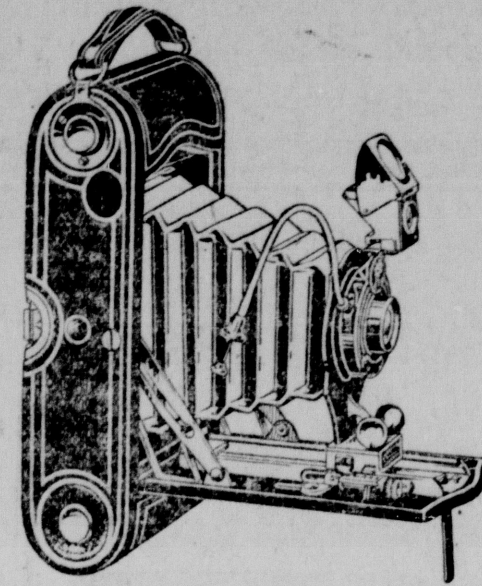
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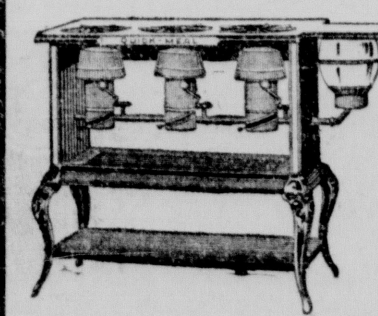
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